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A day out at the show

THOUSANDS of people descended on the West Bay Showground last week to enjoy the ever-popular Melplash Show. Visitors had the opportunity to learn more about farming, watch cookery demonstrations, working dog displays and browse the various stalls of local produce. Pictured is Bridport mayor, Cllr Anne Rickard, with her husband Cllr Dave Rickard at the annual agricultural event.

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For more photos and full report see pages 8 and 9

Motorcyclist killed in crossroads collision

Lottie Welch
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A MOTORCYCLIST in his 40s has died following a crash with a car near Beaminster on Monday (August 28th).

Officers are now appealing for witnesses of the fatal collision to come forward and help them with their investigation.

At around 2.30pm on Monday, Dorset Police was informed by the ambulance service of the collision near the Mosterton crossroads on the A3066.

It involved an orange Ford Focus, an orange KTM motorcycle and a pedal cyclist.

The motorcyclist, a man in his 40s from Crewkerne, suffered serious injuries and was pronounced dead at the scene. His next of kin have been informed and are being supported by specially trained officers. The coroner has also been notified.

The rider of the bicycle, a Yeovil man aged in his 60s, was taken to hospital but his injuries are not believed to be serious.

The road was closed while emergency services attended the incident and remained shut for collision scene investigation work to be carried out.

Police Sergeant Fern Graham, of the traffic unit, said: "I am appealing for any witnesses to this collision, or to the manner of driving of any of the vehicles involved immediately prior to the incident, to please contact me.

"I would also like to thank motorists for their patience during the road closures, which were necessary to enable the emergency services to do their work and to allow for a proper investigation of the collision scene."

Anyone with information is asked to contact Dorset Police at www.dorset.police.uk, via email at 101@dorset.pnn.police.uk or by calling 101, quoting incident 28:299.

Alternatively contact Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555111 or via www.crimestoppers-uk.org

THE wait is over as Bridport Hat Festival returns to the town this weekend. The main 'Haturday' takes place across the town on Saturday, September 2nd, with hat themed competitions, games and activities taking place in various locations, as well as events throughout the week and on the Sunday. The town is expected to be a sea of colour, with visitors proudly showcasing their inventive headwear before the mass hatted photo in Bucky Doo Square from 1pm. To find out more and for a full list of entertainment, visit www.bridporthatfest.org

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Ride and stride for historic churches

WITH just over two weeks to go, hundreds of volunteers from across Dorset are gearing up to pedal for their parish church at this year's annual Ride+Stride event.

The annual fundraising day, organised by Dorset Historic Churches Trust (DHCT), invites participants to cycle, walk and even ride a horse to Dorset's churches and chapels on Saturday, September 9th between 10am-6pm. This family day out is perfect for all ages and will be celebrated all over the United Kingdom, where DHCT's affiliated County Trusts will be holding similar events to raise much needed funds.

There is no official route and participants seek sponsorship to visit as many churches as they feel able to, or for simply taking part. Riders and striders will be raising money for the maintenance and repair of Dorset's historic churches, with all sponsorship split between DHCT and their nominated church.

Chairman of DHCT, Simon Pomeroy, said: "We are very much looking forward to this year's event and hope to see many people out and about enjoying the Dorset countryside on the day, both those who are new to the event as well as our seasoned cyclists. Last year, we raised over £81,000 in sponsorship funds, with 200 churches taking part.

"Without the vital support of the community we couldn't continue the work we do to help preserve the county's churches and, this year, we hope even more people will take part. We'll all be pedalling for our parish and can't wait to welcome everyone on September 9th!"

Dorset is filled with spectacular church heritage and the event presents an opportunity for all the family to explore the history and architecture of churches, some of which are not regularly open. Riders and striders can make their way around over 300 churches across towns and villages, while stopping off at the local pubs and village greens for a late summer's lunch and well-earned rest.

Experienced riders will plot their route to keep well off the busy main roads and all participants will be able use the Ride+Stride page on the Trust's website (www.dhct.org.uk) to check the map locations of every church.

■ **RIDERS and striders of all ages from Hooke, one group of many from the Lyme Bay Area, gear up for 2017 Dorset Historic Churches Ride+Stride event**

Riders and striders who have taken part in previous years will be looking out for fellow fundraisers to join together for the day's event, catch up or even compete against them.

This team community gathers pledges on traditional paper forms or through Just Giving on the Trust's website to donate all the funds raised through the fantastic team effort.

Since 1991, the Trust has raised over £1,000,000 from the Ride+Stride event, formerly known as the Great Cycle Ride.

Fifty percent of the funds raised are returned to the parish chosen by the rider, and there is keen competition to gain the most sponsorship. The Trustees award the Morshead Trophy to the parish which they consider to be the most deserving.

Last year, the prestigious trophy was awarded to Richard Benjamin for raising £1,530 on behalf of St Giles' and a further £300 from the Chideock Martyrs Roman Catholic church.

For more information about the Ride+Stride or to join in the fun, please contact Anna Butler (Ride+Stride Coordinator) by calling 01305 260004, emailing anna-butler@hotmail.co.uk or visiting www.dhct.org.uk

Bus timetable changes from Sunday

THE number of First bus services will be slashed from this Sunday (September 3rd) as the new winter timetable is introduced.

First Wessex is introducing several service changes to bus routes across West and South Dorset to coincide with the end of the summer school holidays. From Sunday, the frequency of many services will be reduced for the autumn, winter and spring months, whilst some journeys will be withdrawn.

Services X55 (Weymouth to Lulworth and Bovington), 500 (Bowleaze Cove to Weymouth Sea Front) and 510 (Weymouth to Portland and Bridport) are specifically tailored for the influx of tourism in the region over the summer and will be withdrawn.

Many of First Wessex's service have been on increased frequencies since Easter to accommodate for the greater demand and will now be reduced. These include:

● Service 1 (Weymouth to Portland): Overnight journeys on Thursdays have been withdrawn. Passengers from Monday to Friday can expect a bus every 12 minutes, on Saturday every 15 minutes and every 20 minutes on Sundays;

● Service 2 (Weymouth to Littlemoor): The frequency on Saturdays and Sundays have been reduced to every 15 and 30 minutes, respectively. Buses on Dorchester Road will continue to interwork with service 10 and provide a journey every 7 or 8 minutes on Saturdays and every 15 minutes on Sundays.

● Service 3 (Weymouth to Westham): The Sunday timetable has been withdrawn, but service 8 will operate an hourly service via Westham Estate throughout the day;

● Service 4 (Weymouth to Preston): The late evening journeys will be withdrawn. However, service 2 is extended to Preston between Monday to Saturday. The Saturday frequency is reduced to every 30 minutes.

● Service 5 (Weymouth to Crossways and Dorchester): The overall frequency is reduced to a bus every two hours and the Sunday service is being withdrawn.

● Service 8 (Weymouth to Chickerell): The Monday to Friday frequency will now be every 15 minutes and every 20 minutes on Saturdays. Passengers can expect a bus every 60 minutes on Sundays, which will also divert via Westham Estate throughout the day.

● Jurassic Coaster X51 (Dorchester to Bridport and Axminster): The overall frequency will be reduced to every two hours. However, additional journeys will operate a school and off peak times. The Sunday service for this route will be withdrawn after Sunday 24 September. Between Bridport, Charmouth, Lyme Regis and Axminster, combined with the X53 service, buses will operate every hour and connect with trains at Axminster Station.

● Jurassic Coaster X52 (Bridport/Lyme Regis to Exeter): This service will now operate two off peak return journeys from Monday to Saturday.

● Jurassic Coaster X53 (Weymouth to Bridport & Axminster): The frequency will now become every two hours. However, additional journeys will operate a school and off peak times. Buses will also operate every two hours on Sunday. Between Bridport, Charmouth, Lyme Regis and Axminster, combined with X51 service, buses will operate every hour connecting with trains at Axminster Station.

● Jurassic Coaster X54 (Weymouth to Wareham and Poole): There will be four return journeys a day on Monday to Friday only.

Speaking about the changes, Simon Newport, General Manager of First Wessex, said: "As local residents will understand, once the new academic year starts the footfall of holidaymakers throughout the region reduces significantly.

"Across the autumn, winter and spring months it is important for us to find the correct balance and tailor our services to match the demand. We're sure that the changes we're introducing will provide a suitable level of service at the most convenient times for our passengers."

The new timetables are available from www.firstgroup.com/wessex-dorset-south-somerset.

West Country firefighters support Grenfell colleagues

FIREFIGHTERS in the South West, along with the TUC, raised more than £1,000 at the three-day Tolpuddle Martyrs Festival in July for the Grenfell Firefighters' Support Fund.

A cheque was presented yesterday this week by Fire Brigades Union (FBU) South West official Tam McFarlane to a group of heroic firefighters from Battersea fire station who responded to the Grenfell fire. McFarlane was joined by Nigel Costley, South West TUC regional secretary, and Joanne Kaye, South West TUC vice-chair.

Tam McFarlane said: "The support and solidarity shown by everyone at the Tolpuddle Martyrs Festival towards our colleagues who responded to Grenfell was very heart-warming.

"People were queuing up at the FBU stall to donate to the firefighters' hardship fund. All of the firefighters present were very moved by this show of appreciation.

"The men and women who attended Grenfell did an incredible job in the most challenging circumstances imaginable, and the horrors they experienced will stay with them for the rest of their lives.

"The presentation of this cheque shows that they not only have the respect and appreciation of everyone in the fire services across the UK, but of trade unionists and members of the public countrywide."

Nigel Costley said: "Tolpuddle celebrates the solidarity of farm workers when they formed an early union and of workers across the country who won their freedom.

"The solidarity being shown here today is to the firefighters who fought this unprecedented blaze at Grenfell that took so many lives."

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Bridport's two BUPA care homes sold to new provider

BUPA'S two Bridport care homes have been transferred to HC-One as part of the private healthcare provider's agreement to sell part of its UK care home business.

The sale, subject to regulatory approval, will see the transfer of 122 care homes - including The Hyde care home in Walditch and St James Park care home in Bradpole - totalling around £300million, to HC-One, a leading provider of health and social care in the UK.

Bupa will retain around 150 care homes and six Richmond Villages caring for more than 9,000 residents, with a further four care homes and two retirement villages under construction.

David Hynam, chief executive officer of Bupa UK, said: "We remain one of the main providers of residential care in the UK, and a major investor in the sector.

"This moves enables us to focus our investment to continue to provide high quality care for our residents, both now and in the future.

"This year, Bupa will invest more than £120million into refurbishing existing homes and building new care homes and retirement villages.

"Bupa and HC-One have a shared commitment to excellence in care.

"We will work together over the coming months to ensure there is minimal change for residents and our families, and that they continue to receive the high quality care from the same dedicated teams."

Dr Chai Patel CBE FRCP, HC-One chairman, said that the news represents a "true highlight" of his 30-year career, which started as a junior doctor on NHS wards in Southampton.

He said: "HC-One seeks to provide the very best and kindest care across our homes.

"We are building an organisation that residents and families can rely on, one which can withstand future uncertainties.

"[The] announcement builds on our sector leading investment programme in which we have spent huge amounts of time and resource on our learning and development programmes, IT systems and homes. We have also taken huge steps to ensure we operate with tried and tested processes that put residents first and which will support our continued growth.

"We will be larger going forward but we will ensure that every single person we care for experiences the same culture and focus on kindness that have characterised HC-One since our first day of operation.

"The acquisition is the latest step in the expansion of our provision of the very best and kindest care.

"The homes we have acquired from Bupa are dispersed across the UK, and demonstrate HC-One's ongoing strategy to focus on strong regional growth.

"HC-One's growth is financially sustainable – our debt levels are both prudent and manageable – and our ever strengthening and stable financial position means residents will continue to receive the kindest high quality care through a range of specialist services and equally that we will continue to invest in our staff.

"I am truly delighted and honoured to announce this acquisition, the latest step in our journey from turnaround to transformation."

■ The Hyde care home in Walditch and, below, St James Park care home in Bradpole

Police report

DORSET Police are appealing for witnesses and anyone with information on the following crimes to contact them on 101, quoting the relevant crime number.

- Sometime overnight on Thursday, August 17th, fishing equipment comprising three fishing rods, two fixed spool reels, one multiplier reel, two tilly lamps, aluminium fishing stand, Bluetooth radio speaker and a mallet spatula were stolen from outside of a tent at Freshwater Beach Holiday Park, Burton Bradstock. Crime number 55170127244.
- Between 5pm on Friday, August 18th and 4.30pm on Saturday, August 19th, the driver's side wing mirror was knocked off a red Ford Transit van parked in East Street. Crime number 55170129056.
- Sometime overnight on Monday, August 21st, the tyres on a blue Discovery caravan parked in Queens Road were slashed. Crime number 55170129347.
- Overnight on Tuesday, August 15th, the windows were smashed on two disabled buses parked in Flood Lane. Crime number 5517012 5939.
- Just after 12.30pm on Wednesday, August 26th, a purse was stolen from a handbag whilst on a pushchair in Peacocks in Bridport.

The purse contained various debit and credit cards. Crime number 55170126789.

- Just before 6pm on Friday, August 18th, alcohol was stolen from Waitrose, West Street.

A white male with a shaven head wearing a camel coloured jacket and blue tracksuit bottoms, was seen leaving the store with the alcohol without paying. Crime number 55170128 336.

Information can also be reported at www.dorset.police.uk/do-it-online

Tattoo award

THE team at Stand Proud Tattoo in Bridport attended a recent annual Portsmouth tattoo convention, adding another award to their collection.

Artists Phil Gibbs and Lolly Mealing, pictured, were both kept busy and the convention was again a huge success with owner Phil gaining a runner up award for best old school tattoo. The winning tattoo was a traditional tiger head. This adds to the success he had at last year's convention, when he was presented with an award for the same category.

Phil said: " I am very grateful to have brought another award back to Bridport." Stand Proud Tattoo is in Chancery Lane, Bridport. For more information visit their Facebook page – www.facebook.com/StandProudTattoo

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR ...

Hold Vearse Farm meeting in Bridport not Dorchester

■ REGARDING the impending Vearse Farm outline planning meeting destined for October 12th in Dorchester, we feel it should be held in Bridport and in the evening to enable attendance by residents who work.

We have invited West Dorset District Council to use alternative venues such as the Electric Palace or the Bridport Arts Centre. Because of the potential high attendance expected at this meeting it needs to be a large capacity venue.

Many of you no doubt, would be able to suggest other viable, alternatives.

Furthermore, somewhat alarmingly, we understand that this important Vearse Farm planning application, will be discussed with other, additional planning applications, and not as a sole issue as per the recent St Michael's TE outline planning meeting. We are sure that WDDC would justify the South Walks House, Dorchester venue to encompass this, their proposed agenda.

We therefore ask the residents of Bridport to contact WDDC, specifically Andy Galpin (S.Policy@westdorset-weymouth.gov.uk) or Jean Marshall (JMarshall@dorset.gov.uk) or both, expressing the same sentiment as ourselves. Kindly, copy your emails to us on ADVEARSE@aol.com so we can monitor the extent and sentiment of objections.

Make your sentiments known in this superb newspaper as well!

Please note, the date of the meeting may be further delayed if the current, outstanding objections by The Environment Agency and Dorset County Council Highways Department are not finalised.

ADVEARSE Campaign Group

We need a bus more than every two hours, especially in winter

■ BAD morning to Rebecca Knox and Chris Hook.

I have just seen a WATAG person on the bus and I have been told that you people are hellbent on destroying more of Dorset people's live by running a two hourly bus route to Bridport!

What do you think old people are going to do in winter for two hours in Bridport? We need an hourly service to Bridport.

As for Yeovil, all people want is one bus up and one bus down per day – is that too much to ask?

Please do NOT sign an agreement for two hours.

Why is it that you cannot speak to the people about their needs?

I will not be the only one to sue you if I can not live my life without moving.

SHEENA FOX

Off to Bridport

I changed at Maiden Newton - many years ago,
On the train from Weymouth - local and so slow,
I was off to Bridport - to spend a summer's day,
Meandering in Dorset - heading for West Bay.

The pannier - delightful - we called at Powerstock,
Carriages were ancient - through Toller gently rock,
My bicycle in guard's van - soon I'll have the need,
Exploring rural byways at an easy speed.

The single track is lifted - it really is a shame,
Lasted to the Seventies - Beeching Axe to blame,
The station site in Bridport is worshipped by the car,
Difficult to get to - seems remote and far.

STEVE GLASON

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To Ruth/Mum/Nana!

Happy birthday. Enjoy your special day! Love from Allan, Nina, Dan, Keeley and all the family xxxxxx

Happy 21st Birthday

Sophie Cole

3.9.17. Lots of love Nan and Grandad xxxx

HAPPY 21st BIRTHDAY

Congrats

Congratulations to

JAY CATLEY & ETHAN CROSSLEY SLOMAN

on your fantastic exam results. Well done both of you. Love from Nan & Grandad xx

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To our wonderful Grandson Jake Le Page

Happy 7th Birthday. Love you lots from Nanny & Grandad Cleall and family xxx

WILLOW BOWDITCH

Happy 8th Birthday on 1st September. Love from Nan & Grandad Bowditch xxxx

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Commissioner thinks we should get tougher on animal cruelty

DORSET Police & Crime Commissioner, Martyn Underhill, thinks that current criminal sanctions for animal cruelty in England and Wales are extremely lenient and totally inadequate.

He said: "A recent report found than more than 92 per cent of offenders avoided prison in the last decade following abhorrent acts of violence against pets; we must consider the impact of these offenders slipping through the net.

"As the owner of an eclectic group of pets, I support The Centre for Crime Prevention, the RSPCA, Battersea Dogs & Cats Home and other animal charities, who rightly argue that the maximum custodial sentence, just 6 months, should be increased.

■ MARTYN Underhill Police & Crime Commissioner

"Britain is far laxer than other countries when it comes to bringing offenders to justice in this area. Aside from basic humanity, the reason that I find this deeply concerning is that it is well-established that individuals that cause harm to animals are often the same individuals that have a tendency towards violence against people.

"Animal cruelty frequently occurs as a precursor or indicator of a tangled web of abusive behaviour. Researchers have found that perpetrators' first target is often an animal living in the home, the second a spouse or child. Disturbingly, offenders often threaten to torture, injure or kill the victim's pets as a mechanism through which to emotionally control and coerce human victims.

"We need to become more attune to this abuse as a warning sign in order to more effectively protect people. Animal abuse exposes a certain deliberateness of violence. Unlike crimes against people, perpetrators can rarely claim to have been provoked, to have "lost control" or fallen foul to passion. These individuals can be calculating and motivated by the control they have over defenceless animals, indicating the potential for increased violence or lethality more generally.

"There are real implications here for policing. Campaigners are calling for the creation of a register of animal cruelty offenders – similar to the sex offenders register - to better monitor the most prolific perpetrators. This could be beneficial when it comes to protecting people at risk of harm, a key pillar in my new Police & Crime Plan for Dorset, by enhancing the intelligence picture available to officers when attempting to identify perpetrators of domestic violence.

"In most jurisdictions, legislation to protect victims of domestic violence, child abuse and animal abuse are considered in silos and the UK is guilty of this. In other places, the approach is far more innovative, with many US states enacting statutes to allow courts to include pets in protective orders. Some include acts of animal abuse in the statutory definition of domestic violence.

"I support the Government's commitment to reviewing the maximum sentence for animal abusers. But this review must go further and treat the relationship between animal abuse and domestic abuse with paramount importance.

"I encourage a wide consideration of existing legislation to enhance processes based on best practice seen elsewhere. We must ask some important questions. Are there sufficient obligations placed upon statutory bodies and third sector organisations that work with victims to consider the interrelations of abuse? Can we improve the cross-reporting of abuse, be it of animals, adults or children?

"I keenly await the Government's review on this matter."

RNLI fun in West Bay

■ VOLUNTEERS Carol Moss and Lynn Link man the duck race stall, the most popular event of the day.

VISITORS to West Bay on Sunday (August 27th) were able to enjoy the Bridport branch of the RNLI's fun day in beautiful, hot weather, while also raising thousands of pounds for the life-saving charity.

The annual event is a fundraiser for the charity and attracted hundreds of people with their range of games, bric-a-brac stalls, tea and cakes and the popular duck race on the River Brit.

Early indications are that more than £2,000 has been raised.

A spokesperson for the Bridport RNLI said: "As last year, the committee would like to thank sponsors and volunteers for their help on the day and the public for giving so generously.

"The cakes proved popular, as did the tombola, coconut shy and horse.

"Most popular was the duck race – started by John of West Bay River Boat Hire and collected by volunteers Alan, Jim and Di without loss!

"Although the helicopter was unable to participate [due to a call out], the Weymouth and Lyme Regis lifeboats and crews gave a terrific display and appreciative public donated in the many collection buckets around the harbour."

■ ABOVE: Five-year-old Tess Jones manages to beat the revolving horse and make it to the end without falling off.

■ LEFT: Volunteers and committee members of Bridport RNLI refreshed the crowds with a range of cakes and drinks.

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Have your say on new development

RESIDENTS have just over a week to make their views known on the proposed controversial development of 33 homes on land near Watton Park.

Outline planning application was granted for the site near Bridport Leisure Centre last year, following an application from Chester Commercials.

Baker Estates – housebuilders based in the West Country – has acquired the land, which is in an AONB and not earmarked for development in the West Dorset, Weymouth and Portland Local Plan, and has submitted a reserved matters application, outlining details for appearance, landscaping, layout and scale, as well as a change of use from agricultural land to residential.

Proposals include a range of homes from one-bed apartments to five-bed detached houses with 11 being affordable: eight of which will be affordable rent and three will be shared ownership.

Half-an-acre of open space is proposed as well as a total of 83 parking spaces – 47 of which will be privately owned, 25 will be visitor spaces and the remaining 11 will be on street or within a courtyard.

Homes will be of various heights, which will, according to the design and access statement – submitted by Clifton Emery Design on behalf of Baker Estates - "complement the existing build context creating stepped dwellings … so that they don't compromise the views of the existing houses" and to "create interest in the street scene, emphasise corners and terminate views".

It is estimated that the development will take between 12 to 18 months to be built.

Graham Hutton, development director at Baker Estates, said: "Outline planning permission was achieved in March 2016, before we purchased the site.

"Since taking ownership of the land, we have engaged the local community via a well attended public consultation event, individual meetings with neighbouring residents, plus a series of newsletters to share our proposals for the site and to listen to local feedback.

"Our reserved matters application seeks to confirm the design and layout of the site through bespoke designs and high quality architecture.

"Our design of the homes seeks to complement the character of Bridport, with properties featuring brick, stone and timber facades seen throughout the local area.

"Our plans also incorporate generous amounts of public open space, enhancing the existing landscape.

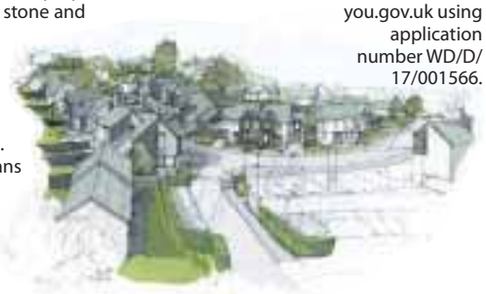
"This includes an attractive area of wildflower grassland, improvements to the existing public footpath that runs through the site and the planting of a range of native flora and fauna around the site boundary. These features will create a green and leafy character for the development.

"It is our intention to commence on site in November 2017 following approval of the application."

When the outline application for the development was submitted, it received dozens of letters of objections from residents of Watton Park who had concerns of an increase in traffic and the single access point, noise and disturbance, parking and the visual impact of the estate.

Now concerns are also being raised on the size of the homes proposed.

Full details of the application can be found at www.dorsetforyou.gov.uk using application number WD/D/17/001566.



New chairman at Citizens Advice

A NEW chairman for Bridport and District Citizens Advice has been elected.

Professor Bryan Brown took over the role from Roy Tarsnane at a meeting of the board on August 22nd.

He has been a trustee of Citizens Advice for more than three years and has led on publicity matters.

Mr Brown said: "I am honoured to be elected to serve Citizens Advice in Bridport and District and to be able to support our many volunteers in providing the advice that is available to support everyone in our community who may need our help and advice, which is free for all and provided by trained and experienced advisers."

He also thanked Roy Tarsnane, who was standing down as chairman, and a presentation of thanks was made to him by the trustees.

Citizens Advice offers free confidential advice to everyone whether they are facing problems with benefits, debt, employment, relationships or other issues.

The offices in South Street, Bridport, are open on weekdays from 10am to 3pm which anyone is welcome to attend.

The CAB also runs sessions at St Michael's Business Centre in Lyme Regis from 10am to 3pm on Wednesdays and at the Yarn Barton Community Centre in Beaminster on Thursdays from 12.30pm and 3pm.

Roy Tarsnane (left) has stepped down as chairman for Bridport and District Citizens Advice, which will be taken over by Bryan Brown. Mr Tarsnane is pictured receiving a gift from Rovarn Wickremasinghe, manager of Bridport and District Citizens Advice

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Choir kicks off music festival

MEMBERS of the Minerva Learning Trust Choir got the Burton Bradstock Festival of Music and Arts off to a roaring start.

Burton Bradstock Primary school headteacher Claire Staple, class teacher Sharon Wardle and children from the school interrupted their summer holiday to sing at the opening concert of the festival on August 13th.

The festival committee has donated £1,000 to the Minerva Learning Trust – made up of St Mary's Primary School, Burton Bradstock Primary School, the Sir John Colfox Academy and Bridport Primary School – to help the development of a choir and the performance was a thank you to the village.

The children were accompanied by Ellie Taylor and Eve Appleton-Scott of the Sir John Colfox Academy and sang for 40 minutes to a large audience in the Rectory Gardens.

David Powell, Minerva Learning Trust trustee, who also accompanied the children, proclaimed the event a huge success.

He said: "The Minerva Learning Trust is very grateful to the festival committee for providing funds to guarantee the further development of their choir.

"The funds will be used to employ local musician Lauren Glover to take the choir forward next year."

Children from all four schools in the Minerva Learning Trust attend the choir.

■ **CHILDREN part of the Minerva Learning Trust Choir sing at the opening concert of the Burton Bradstock Festival of Music and Arts**

Olivia off to national championships

A SIR John Colfox Academy student has been selected to compete in national school games in athletics.

Olivia Wilmore will be part of the athletics squad in the 2017 School Games National Finals.

The School Games are an integrated multi-sport event for the UK's most talented school-age athletes and will take place at Loughborough University from August 31st to September 3rd.

Olivia, who is 15-years-old, is a member of Dorchester Athletics Club and ranked second in the Javelin Southern Counties last year.

Around 1,600 athletes will compete across 12 sports at the School Games, seven of which include disability disciplines.

The four-day event is supported by National Lottery funding from Sport England and delivered by the Youth Sport Trust.

Olivia will be hoping to follow in the footsteps of some of Britain's biggest sporting stars who have competed at the School Games before going on to senior international success.

Previous competitors include: Paralympic champions Hannah Cockroft, Ellie Simmonds and Jonnie Peacock, Olympic champion Adam Peaty, heptathlete Katarina Johnson-Thompson and GB sprinter Adam Gemili.

The School Games are the springboard for future athletes, with 56 of the 382 athletes representing Team GB at the 2016 Olympic Games in Rio previously competing in the School Games.

At the games, Olivia will live in a dedicated athletes' village on the Loughborough University campus, take part in an opening ceremony and perform in front of huge crowds of spectators.

She said: "Competing against such high class athletes has inspired me to train hard, and I aim to reach the finals next year."

■ **OLIVIA Wilmore will compete in the School Games National Finals later this year**

Ali Oliver, chief executive officer of the Youth Sports Trust, said: "The School Games National Finals provide a great opportunity for talented young athletes like Olivia.

"Competitors get a real taste of what it is like to be part of a world-class sporting event at the amazing sporting venues of Loughborough University, and the event is a great way to see our future sporting champions in action today."

Tickets for the event are available at www.ticketsource.co.uk/2017schoolgames

Deadline for survey approaching

THERE is now only a few days left to complete and return the Bridport Area Neighbourhood Plan survey.

Every household in Allington, Bothenhampton and Walditch, Bradpole, Bridport and Symondsbury was sent a leaflet summing up the emerging ideas for the neighbourhood plan on housing, transport, the local economy, community facilities, the environment and climate change.

This plan will help to influence future development in the area as well as identify which areas should be protected.

The deadline to return the survey is September 1st, which can be completed online at www.vision-2030.co.uk or by returning the paper copy to either Bridport Library, Bridport Tourist Information Centre, the town council offices at Mountfield or Bridport Community Hospital.

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Big crowds for Melplash Show

■ DANNY of Feniton Foods prepares fresh wraps with an element of 'street theatre'

Lottie Welch
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FIELDS at the West Bay Showground were filled with an abundance of animals, craftspeople and entertainment, as well as thousands of visitors, when the ever-popular Melplash Show returned last Thursday (August 24th).

The annual event showcases all things farming and agricultural, alongside the range of local produce, talent and craft the county has to offer.

As well as looking around the livestock competing in the range of classes, visitors could browse the homecraft and horticulture marquees filled with entries into various classes from local people and talk to traders demonstrating in the craft marquees before watching the parade of award winning animals in the main ring.

Entertainment throughout the day included Jonathan Marshall with his falcon and horse display, Professor Crump standing eight feet tall taking to the crowds, music from St Swithun's Band and The FB Pocket Orchestra and performances from Wyld Morris dancers.

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■ SHERIDAN the sheepdog amazed visitors as it appeared to ride a tricycle by itself

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■ HELEN Choudhury from the Taj Mahal restaurant in Bridport demonstrated in the cookery theatre

■ DAPHNE Neville brought her otters along to the show so that both adults and children could learn more about them

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■ JOHN Bright won first prize for best trade stand

■ LITTLE Fones were also awarded a first prize for best trade stand

■ JONATHAN Marshall entertained the crowds with his impressive horse and falconry display

■ DAN Broom (left) won the Edith Lamb Family Trophy for home produce as overall champion for the most points in the preserve section. This is the second year running he has won the award and it is presented by Cleeves Palmer

■ ASHLEY Ball (left) from Lyme Regis nearly cleaned up in the horticulture section, winning numerous awards for his entries

■ THE parade of animals in the main ring finished off the day's events

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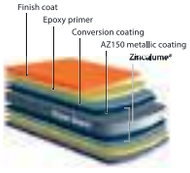

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Exam results celebrations in Beaminster

BEAMINSTER School students celebrated another successful GCSE results day, following on from brilliant results at A-level the week before.

There was an impressive set of achievements across all ability ranges, with nearly half of the students gaining five A* to B grades and all students securing English and maths grades on the new nine to one scale.

Beaminster headteacher Keith Hales said: "The new nine to one grading criteria for English and maths is not directly equivalent to the A* to G system, but the government is targeting more than 70 per cent for four plus grades.

"With English achieving 85 per cent and maths 71 per cent, we are delighted by our outcomes.

"The year group had a really positive and focused approach to their studies and these performances are a real credit to them, alongside the hard work and skill of staff in carefully preparing the students for these new examinations."

Alongside the many outstanding individual performances, the following students deserve particular congratulations.

Finn Russell gained 10 A* and A grades, as well as two nines; Mitzi Castle and Darcy Shaw – nine A*s, an A and one B; Eve Dawson – eight A*s, an A and one B; Tommy Green – seven A*s, an A and three Bs, Christian Hardy – six A*s, an A and three Bs; Lily Turnbull – six A*s, an A and five Bs; Grace Randall – five A*s an A and five B's.

Mr Withers, deputy headteacher, said: "It has been a real privilege to see the students grow over the past five years and earn themselves such great opportunities for the future.

"We look forward to welcoming back a strong cohort of students to do A-levels with us next year, and, with our exciting link to Yeovil College, continuing in September, students will have the best possible options available to them here at Beaminster School."

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Colfox students celebrate GCSE success

STUDENTS at the Sir John Colfox Academy are celebrating another year of excellent GCSE results.

Pass rates in the core subjects were 75 per cent in English and 74 per cent in maths.

This year, traditional A* to G grades in maths, English language and English literature have been replaced by a new one to nine grading system, with nine being the highest grade.

The new system will be rolled out for other GCSE subjects over the next two years.

Headteacher David Herbert said: "There are so many different aspects of performance to look at it's hard to know where to start.

"I am delighted that the overall percentage of students passing both core subjects has risen, that our performance in the English Baccalaureate is eight per cent better than last year's national average and that 20 per cent of all grades achieved were at the new 9-7 or A*/A-level.

"The performance of our students at the top end has been exceptional and sets them up very well for their new A-level courses.

"It is especially pleasing to see how well our boys have done and in bucking the more recent national trend and outperforming the girls. Seven out of our top eight achievers were boys.

"I am very pleased to see that we have also bettered the national average for the new much talked about grade nine in English and maths."

There were many stand out individual performances with the overall highest achiever being Dahlia Twigger who, with eight A* and three grade nine's, achieved the highest combination of grades possible.

Other very high achievers included: Brian Robertshaw seven A*, two grade nine's and one A, Tom Crabtree five A*, one grade nine, one grade eight and one B, Georgy Ivakhnenko four A*, two nine's, and three A's, William Stazicker four A*, two grade eight's and four A's, Thaisen Chant three A*, one grade nine and five A's, Finley Devlin five A*, one grade nine, two A's and one grade seven and Ben Cantrell three A*, one grade nine, two A's and three B's.

Mr Herbert added: "There is so much attention nationally paid to English and maths that sometimes other subjects get forgotten.

"We are committed to providing balance in our curriculum and I am delighted with 100 per cent pass rates in performing arts, creative and digital media, food technology, film studies AS level, textiles and Italian.

"Science results were again strong with chemistry also achieving a 100 per cent pass rate and physics and biology both reaching 96 per cent."

Kay Taylor, executive principal of the Minerva Learning Trust, said: "I want to pay tribute to all the students who have worked so hard to achieve this success and to the staff and parents who have supported them along the way.

"All schools nationally were warned that with the new exams in English and maths, there could be real volatility this year.

"I am delighted this has not been the case for Colfox who have retained very high standards whilst still providing a broad and balanced curriculum alongside extensive extracurricular opportunities."

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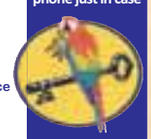

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Community cafe celebrates anniversary with 'big feast'

CUSTOMERS at Oh Crumbs! community café in Bridport can now enjoy meals and snacks in a tranquil garden with trees, flowers and shrubs.

The West Allington cafe, run by people with disabilities, has reached its 25th year and work on the garden as well as plans for a big feast on Saturday, September 23rd, are all part of the anniversary celebrations.

Andrew Smith, who worked hard on the garden project and is now head gardener, said: "The outside was bare concrete before – a washing line and a shed with overgrown bushes."

The project to transform the garden was devised by the Arts Development Company, based in Dorchester, which uses the arts to transform environments and the south-facing area now provides a safe, sunny spot for eating and drinking.

Under the guidance of Cleo Evans from the Arts Development Company, staff discussed their ideas for the garden with local landscape architect Aileen Shackell, who drew up plans.

All the plants and materials were bought locally at a discounted price from Groves Nurseries and Fat Leaf, manufactures of wooden outdoor furniture and planters.

Magna Housing Association and West Dorset District Council also contributed, with the bulk of the funding coming from the Big Lottery Fund's celebrate programme.

Cleo said: "Oh Crumbs! is a fantastic community asset. It serves freshly cooked, delicious food with friendly service. You always feel welcomed and there is a great atmosphere."

Altogether, 17 people work at the café with ages ranging from 21 to nearly 60.

Manager Sue Rousell said: "We give people an opportunity to do a real job that they might not get to do otherwise. They gain self-confidence and esteem from that. We have got customers of all ages who come in and have their meal of the day here. They come in to eat and to meet up – some of them are elderly, but we also get young families."

Oh Crumbs! is usually open from 8.30am to 3pm, Monday to Friday.

But it will open on a Saturday for the big feast on September 23rd, between 1pm and 4pm, welcoming everyone to join the celebration.

ANDREW Smith, head gardener at Oh Crumbs! café in Bridport, in the new eating out area created with support from the Arts Development Company

Praise for Clipper Teas' range

BEAMINSTER based Clipper Teas has scooped four prizes at the Great Taste Awards.

The company's products were recognised for their distinctive flavour, colour and balance of its black, green and infusion teas.

Clipper Gold was given a two-star rating and described as being bright, thick and lively and good with milk.

A star rating was also given to Clipper's Skinni Mintie Organic Infusion and Fairtrade Organic Sleepy Decaf green tea.

Clipper's Fairtrade Everyday Tea was also recognised for its bright colour, flavour and briskness and is one of the brand's fastest growing teas.

Entries were blind tasted by more than 500 judges from all over the world and out of the total number of products entered, only 35 per cent received an accreditation.

Organised by the Guild of Fine Food, the Great Taste Awards are acknowledged as the benchmark for fine food and drink.

The judging sessions took place over 62 days at the Great Taste headquarters in Dorset and near London's Borough Market.

Adele Ward, Clipper Teas brand controller at Wessanen UK, which owns Clipper Teas, said: "Many brands enter the Great Taste Awards, so to be in the 35 per cent of winning entries is such a good achievement.

"It is testament to the care and attention we pay to sourcing the finest quality leaves in an ethical and sustainable way, and the great work of everyone involved, from those who pick the leaves to the employees in our factory.

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MEMBERS of Port Bredy Allstar Majorettes, *pictured,* have four reasons to celebrate – they've won the duet routine and most promising troupe titles and came second in the military routine and baton routine categories at a charity majorette competition.

The competition, which took place at Crewkerne Sports Centre, was organised by Merriott Majorettes to raise funds for St Margaret's Hospice and Towards Tomorrow Together, which offers support to parents that have lost a baby.

Competing against troupes from Somerset and Devon, this was the Allstars' first ever competition of this type. The girls are very grateful for the hard work put in by their military trainer Alan, and troupe trainer and choreographer, Marrianne.

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From Mr Bean to a thriller

WATERSTONES in Bridport will be welcoming writer, performer and co-founder of the Cliffhanger Theatre Company, Robin Driscoll, this Saturday (September 2nd) to sign copies of his first novel 'Rough Music'.

His productions with the company include James Bond, which toured Britain, Europe and Australia, as well as Gymslip Vicar and The World of Les and Robert, which was nominated for the 1989 Perrier Award at the Edinburgh Festival.

After writing for various shows, Mr Driscoll became a contributor to Alas Smith and Jones then later the main writer for Mr Bean, the TV series, movies and animations.

He has recently written his new novel, Rough Music.

He said: "When I let it be known that I was switching tracks and having a go at writing books, people expected me to write a comedy.

"But I chose to write what I like to read, which is crime, mysteries and thrillers."

Rough Music is the story of corporate lawyer Rab MacBain, who embezzles $15million from the Russian mob and flees New York City.

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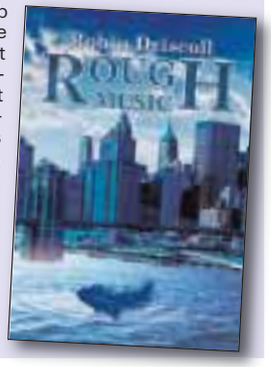

She and Rab have just three days to play cat and mouse before Soviet Afghan war veteran, Karpos Brunovich, turns up to punish them both.

Mr Driscoll will be signing copies of Rough Music from 10am to 12noon.

Lola and her gran scoop garden prize

A WOMAN from Melplash, who entered the Magna Housing garden competition to encourage her four-year-old granddaughter to enjoy gardening has won the top prize.

Julie Turner was the overall winner of the John Foot Cup. Julie said: "I entered the competition as I wanted to do it with my granddaughter, Lola. At only four-years-old, she's already a keen gardener.

"I've totally transformed my garden during the 20 years I've been here. It can take time to keep on top of it all, but I love gardening. It's a great hobby which I wanted to encourage Lola to be a part of, so she helps with the watering and the weeding."

John Wilmot, area housing manager at Magna, was one of the judges this year. He said: "It was great to be able to go out and judge our residents' beautiful gardens; they had clearly made a lot of effort."

"Thank you to everyone who entered the gardening competition. Keep up the good work!"

All the green-fingered Magna resident winners of the annual competition were invited to a presentation ceremony at Meadow View community room, in Charminster, to receive their certificates and prizes and to be recognised for their skill and hard work to produce beautiful gardens.

Julie added: "It was great to have won first prize and to take Lola to the presentation ceremony, she really enjoyed it."

With her years of gardening knowledge and experience, Julie is now considering being one of the judges for Magna's gardening competition next year.

■ THE winners of the Magna Housing annual garden competition with Julie Turner, centre, and her granddaugher Lola with the John Foot Cup. Below, Julie's prize winning garden

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Heath care report highlights issues

ACROSS England there are more than 5,500 home care providers, collectively helping an estimated 673,000 people to continue living independently within their communities.

Over the last year, the number of local Healthwatch citing home care as a priority has doubled. Home care, also known as domiciliary care, can include regular visits from a carer to help with personal care, getting dressed, using the toilet, shopping and preparing meals.

Healthwatch England analysed the experiences of 3,415 home care users, their families and front line staff across 52 local areas between August 2015 and June 2017. These findings came from local Healthwatch events, surveys and site visits to health and care services and included the feedback gathered from almost 700 people in Dorset.

Most people had positive things to say about their home care. These services are invaluable to many people, both for the quality of care provided and the support and company of care workers. A relative told Healthwatch Dorset: "My sister has severe learning disabilities and I am very happy with all her regular carers. She is very happy in her own flat."

Older people in particular said that one of the most positive things about home care is that it enables them to remain in their own home and to maintain as much independence as possible.

However, Healthwatch also discovered four themes across our research that will be of interest to those who commission, provide and regulate social care services:

• Care planning – People frequently reported that staff were unfamiliar with their clients' care plans. In cases where it was a staff member's first visit to a client, insufficient time was often allowed to enable them to read the care plan. A care user speaking with Healthwatch Dorset said, "Most staff never read the care plan if new to me. I then have to try to explain it all again (I have dementia)."

• Skills and qualifications – Many of those who spoke about their experiences said they valued the dedication and experience of those sent to care for them. However, others lacked experience and basic skills, such as being able to wash someone or make them breakfast. A resident told Healthwatch Dorset that one of her carers was unable to boil an egg or make porridge, while another person said care workers needed to be taught "home care common sense."

• Consistency and continuity - All local Healthwatch found problems with staff coming at different times and even missing appointments. Healthwatch Dorset found a number of people reporting that it felt like care packages were designed to meet the needs of the service provider rather than the service user. A care user they spoke to had been promised no more than four different carers, but in the space of one year there were 44.

• Communication and feedback – Providers need to look to make greater and more regular use of feedback to address problems early and prevent minor issues turning into complaints. Many people who spoke with Healthwatch Dorset highlighted the lack of communication they had with the organisations providing their care.

Healthwatch Dorset's report "Where The Heart Is" (available to read on their website: www.healthwatchdorset.co.uk) gathered feedback from almost 700 local people and their findings have been used to develop new strategies for home care services across Dorset.

Joyce Guest, Healthwatch Dorset chairperson, said: "Over 80 per cent of the people who took part in our survey told us they were happy with the home care service they received. But we also heard disturbing stories from some relatives and friends about poor care and instances where people had not had a medicines review for three years. People told us that they would like better continuity of care workers, to have care provided at the times that suit them, to be listened to more and to have more choice.

"This national Healthwatch report will really help to highlight the issues we've raised locally and work towards creating better services for local people."

The Healthwatch network will share the findings of this briefing across the health and social care sector, as part of a wider programme to encourage greater use of user feedback.

To find out more about the report and/or to share your feedback about home care please go to: www.healthwatchdorset.co.uk or call 0300 111 0102.

Fund for young sports stars

THE Dorset Lord-Lieutenant's Fund for Young and Talented, which supports disadvantaged talented young sports stars through grants, has received a £2,500 donation from a local engineering company Superior.

The fund, headed up by the Lord-Lieutenant of Dorset, Angus Campbell, and managed by a local charity – Dorset Community Foundation, has already supported 11 young people with grants of up to £1,000 this year and is also currently open for applications.

Mark Wallis, Commercial Director at Superior, explained: "We are very pleased to be supporting such a great initiative. Our county is full of talented young people and having financial difficulties or a disability may be a real obstacle to achieving their full potential.

"We have already set up our own Superior STEM Fund with the Foundation to support students on science, technology, engineering and mathematics courses and with this donation we are extending our support to local young sport stars."

Jon Yates, Chief Executive at the Foundation explained: "We are very thankful for Superior's ongoing support. The donation will help us fund more local young people competing in a variety of sports. We are also very proud that the young people who we supported earlier in the year are already winning numerous competitions and flying the Dorset flag."

■ Jasmine MCCrea at the British Championships

Jasmine McCrea was one of the young and talented sport stars supported by the Fund in January this year. Last month Jasmin won gold at the British Championships in the 50m free swimming category.

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New clients are visited for an initial assessment where a personalised support plan is developed together. If situations change, the plan can be adjusted to meet their shifting needs. If you or someone you know would benefit from this service please contact Age UK Devon on 0333 241 2340 to discuss your needs.

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Win tickets to Bestival 2017!

TO CELEBRATE Bestival's beautiful, brand-new home at the Lulworth Estate in Dorset, ***Pulman's View from*** have teamed up with them to offer one of five paris of weekend tickets to you lovely lot.

Bestival is being redrawn in the spirit of its original pioneering vision on a brand-new site in Dorset, home to Bestival's ever-popular little sister, Camp Bestival. Don't miss the truly immersive experience of Bestival 2017, exploring the wonders of Colour on a mission to increase the peace this September 7th – 10th .

With headliners The xx, A Tribe Called Quest, Pet Shop Boys and Jamie T, and more eclectic music from Justice, Annie Mac, Dizzee Rascal, Andy C, Little Dragon, Rag'n'Bone Man, Wiley, Laura Mvula, Danny Brown, Loyle Carner, Soul II Soul, Circa Waves, MNEK, Ray BLK, Stefflon Don, The Cuban Brothers and many more across over 20 stages and micro-venues, plus the World's Biggest Confetti Cannon, Castle Fireworks Finale, Love-Bot, the World's Biggest Bouncy Castle, The Inflatable Church, The World's Largest Disco Ball, Bestival is an escapist world of creative wonder with a weird and wonderful underbelly. Don't miss out on the last hurrah of the summer.

■ The xx

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For more information, please visit bestival.net

■ A Tribe Called Quest

Fresh from the Fringe

■ Danny Ward

THE Bridport Arts Centre Comedy Cafe returns next week with a bunch of award winning comedians fresh from the fringe.

The hilariously funny Danny Ward will headline this latest show with a full line up of support. Danny combines high energy performance and wonderfully verbose language with tales of shopping at Lidl and eating at Harvester. Instantly likeable, Danny Ward avoids the smuttier side of comedy to focus on the minutiae of everyday life, a talent that saw him crowned the People's Champion in the Amused Moose Laughter awards at the Edinburgh Fringe Festival in 2013.

Danny has just returned from the Edinburgh Fringe Festival where he spent a month perfoming his latest solo show 'Extra Dates Added' and he's also the star of cult Youtube sitcom 'Wheelbarrow Town'.

Joining Danny will be New Zealand, deadpan one-liner specialist, Richard Lindesay and two rapidly rising stars both fresh from big competitions at the Edinburgh Fringe Festival.

First up is Riordhan DJ who has just been crowned the Chortle Student Comedian of the Year. Riordhan is a local act, who grew up across the border in Devon, who's been plying his trade on the Bristol comedy scene for the last year or so. Riordhan is likened to a young James Acaster with a brilliant eye for observational comedy delivered with a uniquely surreal slant.

Joining Riordhan will be loveable Welshman Morgan Rees,who has just reached the prestigious So You Think You're Funny, Welsh Unsigned Stand Up Awards and the BBC New Comedy Award finals. Despite not being crowned champion in these competitions he has beat off stiff competition from hundreds of comedians nationwide and is clearly a talent who's destined for big things.

As ever, hosting the show will be resident compere Tom Glover.

The next Bridport Arts Centre Comedy Café night will be on Wednesday, September 6th at 8pm. Tickets are £8 and available online or from the arts centre box office as usual on 01308 424204.

Easy tiger!

Roars aplenty as Craig Campbell brings latest tour to Lyme Regis

■ Craig Campbell

Get ready to howl the night away on Saturday, September 9th at 8pm as comedian Craig Campbell brings his thrilling new show 'Easy Tiger' to the Marine Theatre. The majestic mountain moose will appear in a tiger striped onesie stepping out of the Fringe jungle and onto the world stage for his third solo tour.

Over the years Campbell has treated us to his larger than life persona with appearances on Michael Mcintyre's Comedy Roadshow and Russell Howard's Good News,the latter describing Campbell as "one of the finest comedians in the country, no the world, a well-travelled genius".

In 'Easy Tiger' audiences can expect a raucous evening of post-scratchin' and kickin' litter aboot the hoose while Campbell tickles chins, keeping purrs and treadles generous throughout! The Independent calls his show "loud" and "beautifully crafted" whilst Time-Out comments "A fantastic yarn weaver, with charming tales of his travels and hugely funny observations".

Craig Campbell roars into the Marine Theatre on Saturday, September 9th at 8pm. All tickets: £16. Tickets can be bought from Lyme Regis Tourist Information Centre tel 01297 442138 or online www.marinetheatre.com (10% booking fee applies).

Wind in the Willows

Enchanting family puppet theatre at the Marine Theatre this week

THE whole family are in for a treat this Thursday at The Marine Theatre. Join beloved characters Ratty, Mole, Badger and Mr. Toad on their marvellous adventure in *The Wind In The Willows* brought to the stage by UK theatre company Box Tale Soup.

This charming new adaptation of Kenneth Grahame's much loved classic features an original score along with unique handmade puppetry. Families will be enchanted as they are taken on a magnificent journey from the peaceful pleasures of Ratty's beloved River Bank to the fearful frights and wicked weasels of the Wild Wood. A sell-out show at Brighton Fringe, Review Hub calls the performance "wondrous…there is a magic about this piece". What a delightful way to round off the summer holidays.

Wind in the Willows is on tomorrow Thursday, August 31st at 7.30pm. Tickets are £12 full price, or £10 concessions. Tickets can be bought from Lyme Regis Tourist Information Centre tel 01297 442138 or online www.marinetheatre.com (10% booking fee applies)

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TOP 10

Top Ten Artist Sales of Preloved Vinyl for week ending Saturday, August 26th compiled by Clocktower Music Bridport

1. The Animals
2. Human League
3. Rush
4. Caravan
5. Bobby Womack
6. Spooky Tooth
7. Led Zeppelin
8. Quincy Jones
9. Harvey Mandel
10. Soft Machine

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VIEW2 TRANSMISSION

Your guide to local live music

Red hot rhythms straight from Eastern Cuba

SON YAMBU play authentic 'Son Cubano' or Cuban son - the essential Afro-Cuban music that originated in the streets of eastern Cuba at the turn of the last century. Son is a fusion of Spanish and African rhythms and is the root of all salsa music. Formed in 2011, Son Yambu features a new generation of musicians who are all passionate about maintaining the traditions of the genre, continuing the Buena Vista legacy that put Cuban music back on the map in 1997.

Since their debut album *La Maravilla* was released to rave reviews (**** *Songlines, The Evening Standard*) at the end of 2012, Son Yambu have gone from strength to strength.

Highlights since then have included playing at the world famous Glastonbury Festival, The Manchester Jazz Festival, The Cheltenham Music Festival, The Shetland Folk Festival, The Africa Oyé Festival , The Cork Jazz Festival, The Edinburgh Mela, The Rainforest World Music Festival in Borneo - to name but a few!

With a hugely successful Arts Council Tour of England in 2016, a recent live session for Sean Rafferty on BBC Radio 3 'In Tune' and a new album currently being recorded, the future looks bright indeed.

On vocals, from Guanabacoa, Cuba, Dunia Correa is an accomplished international singer with a sparkling personality, having performed with many Cuban bands. She is a born entertainer, and aficionados have likened her to a young Celia Cruz. Frank Portuondo Ortiz from Guantanamo on trés and backing vocals toured internationally with Cuban bands Manguaré, Son Del Nene and Pedrito Calvo, before joining Son Yambu.

Yambu's rhythm section boasts the extraordinary talents of Javier Fioramonti on bass, Rene 'Menique' Savigne on congas, Oscar Martinez on bongos and Toby Herschmann on timbales. They're the force that drives the music along. And soaring above it all, there's the trumpet of virtuoso Alberto 'Muziquito' Savigne, whose credits include Septeto Matamoros, Los Chicos Del Barrio, Grupo Turquino and Septeto Narbori to name but a few.

Playing their irresistible tropical rhythms, they bring their audiences a truly sensational, authentic Latin-music experience, and their music is guaranteed to turn any event into a fiesta!

Most of the band members hail from Santiago De Cuba, the birthplace of Cuban son…. and have the effortless musicianship that comes from being to the manor born…..a set infused with rhythm changes and infectious melodies and grooves. Son Yambu is the best band playing Cuban son.

Son Yambu play live at Bridport Arts Centre on Saturday, September 9th at 8pm. Tickets are £12 or £10 concessions, available by calling 01308 424204 or www.bridport-arts.com

■ Son Yambu

Baroque supergroup return to Bridport

BAROQUE supergroup Orchestre du Montplaisant are returning to Bridport! featuring Juste Voyant on guitar, Luke Warmcop on drums, Piro on bass and Graham Mushnik on accordion and organ. They brings together world rhythms and moody cinematic moments playing blues and dance pieces, with notable influences from Congolese Soukous, African highlife, Ethiopian jazz, cumbia, whiff of Middle-East and Turkish Psychedelia.

Orchestre du Montplaisant are a worldly troupe, who display the intrepidness and roaming interests of true explorers. The band's sound can be defined in its diversity, ranging from a darker form of mystic exotica to the sun-kissed soundtrack to some future film set on the shores of a faraway island. Their new record (Orchestre du Montplaisant - II) defiantly combines the authentic sounds of fuzzy 70s high-life, the sensual sway of oriental Arabiana and a trippy Cumbia track of the sweltering kind, a kin to that of The Meridian Brothers.

They have toured extensively throughout England, Germany, France, Italy, Slovenia, Hungary, Montenegro, Croatia, Serbia, Spain, Holland, Belgium, with the likes of Kuabata Makoto, Hype Williams, Imperial Tiger Orchestra, The Experimental Tropic Blues Band and Talibam! amongst others. They have recorded sessions for Cerys Matthews on BBC Radio 6 and were featured on Fiona Talkington's Late Junction on BBC Radio 3, Gideon Coe's BBC Radio 6, Tom Ravencroft BBC Radio 6, Jo Whiley BBC Radio 2 among others throughout Europe.

Orchestre du Montplaisant play at Bridport Arts Centre on Friday, September 8th at 8pm. Tickets are £12 or £10 concessions, available by calling 01308 424204 or online via the website www.bridport-arts.com.

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Time travelling magicians Morgan & West back in Bridport with two special shows

More Magic for Kids

FRESH from their appearance on ITV 1's The Next Great Magician and sell-out seasons in 2015 - 2017 at the Edinburgh Fringe and on the London Southbank the time-travelling magicians Morgan & West are back on the road with their brand new magic show for kids (and of course any childish grown-ups who happen to be there)!

Bigger, better, and containing even more magic than before, More Magic For Kids! sees our favourite magic duo amazing everyone and anyone of almost any age (5+), from any time period (anyone else born in 1865 very welcome), and indeed any level of maturity (or should we say, immaturity?). The result is a marvellous show that is loved by both adults and children alike and will keep you gasping, laughing, and applauding from beginning to end – the perfect family day out!

Despite their continuing squabbles about the merits of magic for children (Mr West still asserts that 'brainless sacks of meat' are simply not sophisticated enough) our favourite old-time magic duo will unload another box full of bafflement in front of your very eyes. Expect the unexpected, believe the unbelievable, but do not dare miss the unmissable Morgan & West!

Time Travelling Magicians

IF YOU'VE been lucky enough to see Morgan & West before then you'll know to expect a thoroughly entertaining, utterly baffling, and endlessly enthralling evening. Absolutely chock full of brain bursting illusion and impossibility, all topped off with a touch of time travel, this dashing duo of deception vow to astound and enthral even the most skeptical of audiences.

Morgan & West have been performing their unique magic shows across the UK and around the world, including sell-out shows at the Edinburgh Fringe, Perth Fringe world, Adelaide Fringe where they were nominated for 'Best Family Show', and Buxton Fringe where they were awarded 'Best Comedy Show'. They have also appeared on The Next Great Magician (ITV), Penn & Teller: Fool Us (ITV), and The Slammer (CBBC).

■ **Morgan & West bring 'More Magic for Kids' to Bridport Arts Centre on Saturday, September 30th, 2pm. They then perform 'Time Travelling Magicians' at 7.30pm that evening.**

Wings & Wheels comp winner

CONGRATULATIONS to Ian Brooke from Weymouth for winning the recent Wings and Wheels Competition.

Thank you to all *View from* readers who entered the competition.

A Sophisticated Lady

The Songs of Ella Fitzgerald

CELEBRATING the rich century of song that Ella Fitzgerald has given us, internationally recognised British singer, Tina May, will be presenting her renditions of hand-picked songs from Ella's varied repertoire including classics such as How High The Moon and Every Time We Say Goodbye. Tina will be accompanied by USA saxophonist and clarinettist Frank Griffith and his quartet (Robin Aspland, piano, Jeremy Brown, bass and Rod Youngs, drums), who came to our attention in last year's Kind Of Blue – Revisited.

The show will also feature the premiere of Frank's composition "Ellabration" with lyrics by Tina May.

'A Sophisticated Lady" The Songs of Ella Fitzgerald' by the Frank Griffith Quartet featuring Tina May comes to Dorchester Corn Exchange on Thursday, September 7th at 8pm (doors and bar 7.30pm). Tickets are £15 or £13 for members and concessions, available online at www.dorchesterarts.org.uk, or by calling 01305 266926.

■ Tina May

Cosi Fan Tutte

OPERA Holloway visit Dorchester with a hilarious production of Così Fan Tutte.

Set during World War Two, sisters Fiordiligi and Dorabella appear as Landgirls forced to watch their boyfriends go off to war earlier than expected. Through trickery and plenty of comical disguises, their sweethearts seek to find out how faithful the two girls really are. With sublime music by Mozart and an astonishingly talented cast performing with string quartet and piano accompaniment, this will be a captivating show.

Cosi Fan Tutte will be performed at Dorchester Corn Exchange on Friday, September 8th at 7.30pm. Tickets are £18 or £16 for members and concessions, available online at www.dorchesterarts.org.uk, or by calling 01305 266926.

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THE BIG SCREEN

This week's releases

■ Patti Cake$

PATTI CAKE$ [15]
PATTI CAKE$ is centered on aspiring rapper Patricia Dombrowski, a.k.a. Killa P, a.k.a. Patti Cake$, who is fighting an unlikely quest for glory in her downtrodden hometown in New Jersey.
Stars Danielle Macdonald, Bridget Everett and Siddharth Dhananjay.

ALL SAINTS [PG]
WHEN a group of Burmese refugees join the congregation, the pastor of a failing Anglican church attempts to aid them by planting crops and enlisting the help of the community.
Stars Cara Buono, John Corbett and Barry Corbin.

THE LIMEHOUSE GOLEM [15]
A series of murders has shaken the community to the point where people believe that only a legendary creature from dark times - the mythical so-called Golem - must be responsible.
Horror starring Olive Cooke, Edde Marsan and Bill Nighy.

Cinema Listings

(all listings subject to change)

Fri, Aug 25th to Thu, Aug 31st

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American Made [15]
Daily: 14.30, 17.15, 20.00
Captain Underpants: The First Epic Movie 2D [U]
Daily: 11.30am
Cars 3 [U] Daily: 12.45
Despicable Me 3 [U]
Fri-Sun: 10.15am
Detroit [15]
Daily: 14.00, 17.45, 20.15
Dunkirk [12A] Daily: 12.30, 17.30
Logan Lucky [12A] Daily: 20.45
Rough Night [15]
Daily: 15.15, 21.00
The Dark Tower [12A] Daily: 15.30
The Emoji Movie [U]
Fri-Sun: 10.00, 12.15
Mon-Thu: 12.15
The Hitman's Bodyguard [15]
Daily: 18.00
The Nut Job 2: Nutty By Nature [U] Fri-Sun: 10.00am

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Diary Dates

UNTIL SATURDAY SEPT 2ND

BEAMINSTER: Mosterton Art Group 29th Annual Exhibition. The group will be showing a diverse range of oil, acrylic, pastel and watercolour paintings together with prints, drawings and stitched textiles. The work, usually over 100 pieces, is of high quality and for sale at very competitive prices. The exhibition is in the Skyrm Room, Beaminster Public Hall, 8 Fleet Street, Beaminster, DT8 3EF. Open 10am to 5pm each day (4pm last day.) Admission free.

UNTIL TUESDAY SEPT 5TH

LYME REGIS: Chelsea Davine's solo exhibition, called Reflecting the Light, focuses on nature, on light and dark, capturing their elusive quality using copper, gold and silver leaf to build layers that create depth and deep tonality. Open daily 10.30-4.30. Free admission. The Courtyard Gallery, The Town Mill, Mill Lane, Lyme Regis DT7 3PU

UNTIL WEDNESDAY SEPT 6TH

LYME REGIS: Driven to Abstraction is an exhibition of abstract and contemporary photography from two East Devon photographers, Tricia Scott and Lois Wakeman, together with some earthenware pottery. Tricia and Lois are both fascinated by the unseen corners and beautiful decay to be found on the shore and inland, as well as more conventional beauty. Open daily 10.30-4.30. Free admission. The Malthouse Gallery, The Town Mill, Mill Lane, Lyme Regis DT7 3PU

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 30TH

DORCHESTER: Coffee Pop-In at Dorchester Community Church, Acland Road (behind Waitrose) every Wednesday. 9.30am-12noon. Stall selling small items of bric-a-brac etc. In aid of Dorcas Wessex Trust. Everyone welcome.
BROADWINDSOR: 10.30-11.15am Dancefit Light, 11.30-12.30pm Yogalates Comrades Hall, Broadwindsor £5/each class, block booking discount available! Contact Debbie 07585 356929.

FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 1ST

ASKERSWELL: Pilates £6/session block booking discount available! At the village hall, 9.30-10.30am. Contact Debbie 07585 356929

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 2ND

BRIDPORT: Bridport and District Gardening Club late summer show in the United Church Hall, East Street. Schedules are available on line from www.bridportgardeningclub.co.uk or by calling 01308 424055. The show opens for viewing at 12 noon and entry is free, teas and light lunches are available. There will be a charity plant stall outside the hall from 10am.
BRIDPORT: Bridport Ceilidhs welcomes back on Hat Festival Weekend the long-standing 'Old Pull & Push Band', with their caller Helen Woodall. 7.15 for 7.30pm in Church House Hall, South Street - if you enjoyed the 1st weekend Bridport Folk Festival with its dances, workshops and great folk music around the town, come along and try some more - you can even wear a fancy hat! (prizes will be given!). Bring a finger food supper to share and your own booze (the Woodman Inn is just over the way). £9.00 on the door but better to buy in advance from 'Lime Tree Deli', 'Bridport Music Shop', or order from by calling Monty on 01308 423442 (email monty3dayslate@yahoo.co.uk). See website: www.bridportceilidhs.wordpress.com
AXMINSTER: Swishing Party at Axminster Health & Wellbeing Centre, 11am-4pm. Advance tickets £5 (reserved by calling 01297 32331). Doors tickets £6. Bring garments and shoes for 'swapping'. Maximum number of items - 5 per person. There will also be a cafe (with homemade cakes) and a kids corner. Proceeds to the Centre and community projects.
NORTH PERROTT: Jumble Sale at North Perrott Village Hall, 2pm.

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 3RD

BEAMINSTER: Cream Tea at St Mary's Church, 3-5pm. Delicious cakes, raffle. The last scone of summer!

MONDAY SEPTEMBER 4TH

BRIDPORT: Exercise to Music. WI Hall, North Street. 5.45pm. For more details call 01308 281882.
LYME REGIS: Tombola stall in aid of the charity the Axe Valley and West Dorset Ring and Ride.On Lyme Regis Seafront next to the National Trust Shop, between 10.15 and 12.15. Please support.
BEAMINSTER: Aquafit sessions at Beaminster swimming pool, led by Penny Yarnold, 7.45pm. Details 07970 879047, or just turn up for fun and fitness in the water.
EYPE, BRIDPORT: Aquafit at Highlands End swimming pool, 10.30-11.30. Have fun getting fit in the water. Details Penny Yarnold 07970 879047.
BOTHENHAMPTON: Pilates £6/session block booking discount available! At the village hall, 2-3pm. Contact Debbie 07585 356929

TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 5TH

BRIDPORT: New Elizabethan Singers AGM in the United Church Hall, 7.30pm.

WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 6TH

UPLYME: Lyme Ladies Quilt Group meeting at Uplyme Village Hall, 1st Wednesday of each month, 1.30-4.30pm. Annual membership fee £10 (visitors welcome). If you think you would like to come along and join us, you are more than welcome. We also enjoy a nice cup of tea or coffee, and a biscuit or two, plus the inevitable chat. Call 01297 445747 or 01460 394429 if you would like more information.
MARTINSTOWN: Chair-based exercise. Martinstown Village Hall. 11am. For more details call 01308 281882.
DORCHESTER: Coffee Pop-In at Dorchester Community Church, Acland Road (behind Waitrose) every Wednesday. 9.30am-12noon. Stall selling small items of bric-a-brac etc. In aid of Dorcas Wessex Trust. Everyone welcome.
LYME REGIS: Join the procession as boat builder Gail McGarva's Arts Council-supported Story Boat (a mini maritime museum) is hauled in traditional fashion along Lyme's seafront starting at 6pm at the Boat Building Academy and finishing at 7pm at the entrance to the Marine Theatre, where it will take up residency for 3 months. Open daily 11 Sept-17 Dec between 10am and 4pm. The Marine Theatre, Church Street, Lyme Regis DT7 3QB.
BRIDPORT: Bridport Camera Club. First meeting of the Season. Introduction to the programme followed by members' photos from the Summer. 7.30pm Chancery House, DT6 3JT. The club is always happy to welcome new members. For details please phone the Club Secretary on 01308 281561.
BROADWINDSOR: 10.30-11.15am Dancefit Light, 11.30-12.30pm Yogalates Comrades Hall, Broadwindsor £5/each class, block booking discount available! Contact Debbie 07585 356929.
BRIDPORT: On behalf of Harmony Drop In life coach Andrew Slade will run a workshop on Forgiveness and Mental Health at The Greyhound in the upstairs meeting room. All welcome. Free entry. 10am-12.30pm.

THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 7TH

DORCHESTER: Historical dance class, 7.30-9.30 p.m. £5. At St George Church Hall. No partner needed, nor previous experience. 01935 472771 or thedancingmaster@outlook.com.
DORCHESTER: West Dorset Health Service Retirement Fellowship meeting at 2pm in the Boys Brigade Hall, Sawmills Lane, DT1 2RZ when Anne King will give a talk on "Cliffs, Coves and Contraband". New members welcome. Contact 01305 261676 or 785546 for info.
BRIDPORT: Community Coffee morning in St. Swithun's Church Hall, Allington DT6 5DX, where fresh coffee and homemade cakes are served free of charge. Make some new friends and enjoy yourself. The event takes place on the first Thursday of every month between 10.45am & 11.45am.
DORCHESTER: Dorchester Community Church in Acland Road invite you to a Seminar when David Sinclair of Wessex Psychotherapy and Counselling will be dealing with the subject of "Why Suffering". This takes place from 7 until 9pm. All very welcome. David has visited several times before dealing with subjects of coping with bereavement, depression and anxiety and is an excellent speaker.
CHARMOUTH: Cream Tea Walk - Enjoy a great waymarked nature walk in Dorset countryside combined with a delicious homemade cream tea, (with warm fresh scones, homemade jam and thick clotted cream) or a drink with home baked cake. You can choose to walk a gentle 3 miles or a slightly more challenging 5 mile route and dogs are welcome on leads. Walks are fundraising for the Lyme Slime Halloween Festival. Start between 1pm and 2pm. Costs £10 per person. Full info and booking online, (tickets need to be booked) at www.wackynation.com/cream-tea-walk
WEYMOUTH: Broadwey, Upwey & district Horticultural Society talk: 'Success with Rockeries', by a speaker from the Gold Club. At St. Nicholas primary School, Dorchester Road, Broadwey, Weymouth starting at 7:30pm. Details from 01305 814887 or see website.

Send your Diary Dates by email to rob@viewnews.co.uk, or by post to Rob Larcombe, View from Newspapers, St Michael's Business Centre, Church Street, Lyme Regis DT7 3DB

Advertiser's Announcement

Win Free Tickets to Toby's Garden & Harvest Festival!

A BRAND-NEW harvest festival is coming to Forde Abbey near Chard in Somerset for a weekend of celebrity garden talks, harvest workshops and family entertainment on 16th and 17th September. Hosted by West Country TV gardener and BBC Radio Devon presenter Toby Buckland, Toby's Garden & Harvest Festival is bringing together a range of growers, chefs and bakers, willow-weavers, food producers and flower farmers, as well as more than 150 exhibitors selling plants, garden tools and sculpture, art, crafts and artisan food and drink.

Headlining in Forde Abbey's Great Hall on Saturday is Charlie Dimmock of BBC Ground Force fame and on Sunday BBC One Show gardener Christine Walkden is sharing her vast knowledge of grow your own, along with talks on garden bulbs, making meadows, growing dahlias, edible and cut flowers.

There is a cornucopia of ideas on what to do with your harvest, including willow weaving garden structures, making natural dyes and sculptures, charcuterie, cheese-making, making jams and pickles as well as fermenting vegetables, the new healthy way to preserve and enhance the nutrient content of your food.

Festival host Toby says, "Welcome to my new festival! Whether you want to watch or get hands on, there is loads to see and do as we're revelling in all the fun and flavours of the season, as well as showcasing the skills that shape our gardens and the rural crafts of the region. With its stunning walled kitchen garden, lakes and abundant herbaceous borders, Forde Abbey is the perfect location for our harvest festivities."

We have six pairs of tickets worth £20 per pair to give away, just send your name and address to Toby's Festival Competition, View from Newspapers, Unit 3, St Michael's Business Centre, Church Street, Lyme Regis, Dorset DT7 3DB for a chance to win. Deadline Wednesday, September 6th 2017.

Tickets are on sale at www.tobygardenfest.co.uk or from Forde Abbey's shop and Archway Bookshop in Axminster for £10 in advance; £12.50 on the gate, children free. Dogs on leads welcome.

Highlights at Toby's Garden & Harvest Festival include:

- **Celebrity garden talks from Charlie Dimmock, BBC One Show garden expert Christine Walkden, BBC Big Allotment Challenge presenter Jim Buttress and Toby Buckland**
- **Two-day programme in the Demo Teepee on seasonal pickle making, growing cut flowers, fermenting veg, edible flowers, botanical soap making and natural dyes**
- **Gastro Garden demo's from The Pig at Bath chefs, and local chef and smallholder Ed Mello on charcuterie and cheese-making. Devon Distillery are bringing their Still on the Move so visitors can make their own Festival gin. Plus apple-pressing and cider-making (and drinking!)**
- **Tea Tent Demo's where you can try your hand at basket-weaving, corn dollies and NatureMakes crafting with natural foraged and found materials for ages 5 and up**
- **Artisan Marquee with talented West Country craft makers offering water colours, textiles, ceramics, glassware, paper art, gifts and handmade jewellery**
- **Ready, Veggie Bake Competition – see the results in Forde Abbey's Chapel**
- **Scything demo's from Dorset scythe trainer Chris Riley; advice on making meadows and managing grassland from Meadow in your Garden; demo's on making willow garden structure; vintage tractors and shepherd huts**
- **Regular garden Tours of Forde's champion trees with Thornhayes Nursery's Kevin Croucher and tours of Forde's Walled Kitchen Garden with head gardener Danny Burlingham**
- **Specialist nurseries offering a riot of seasonal colour including herbs, exotics, garden bulbs, seeds, perennials and shrubs**

Belles add a touch of glamour to line-up of folk legends

THERE will be a touch of glamour about the town next month when Lyme Folk Weekend celebrates its fifth annual festival.

Along with the usual music at the Marine Theatre, the Pilot Boat and along the seafront, one of the weekend's most popular sights is the Morris dancing and Saturday morning parade - led by local hosts the Uplyme Morris Men. And this year one of the folk world's most eye-catching dance sides, the Belles of London City, will be joining the fun.

Dressed in their trademark red and white corsets and top hats, the Belles have captured the imagination and delighted audiences around the country.

Tickets for the Marine Theatre shows are on sale on the festival's website and at the Lyme Regis Tourist Information Centre. Opening the festival on Friday September 1 will be Jim Moray, nominated for two awards in this year's BBC Radio 2 folk awards - for Best Album and Best Original Song.

For 15 years Jim has been at the forefront of a new movement in English traditional music. His debut album Sweet England changed the sound of folk song and won a brace of awards for its innovative melding of orchestration and electronica. Subsequent albums embraced everything from grime to Johnny Marr-esque guitar pop, but at their heart was always Jim's unmistakeable soulful and yearning voice; singing old songs in a new way.

His sixth album *Upcetera* heralds a new chapter for the producer and has received the best reviews of his career, including his two BBC nominations, and five stars from Mojo, fRoots and R2 magazines.

Saturday night headliners will be folk legends Ralph McTell and Wizz Jones, who will be presenting songs from their critically acclaimed album About Time, recorded to celebrate their 50 years of music-making together.

McTell and Jones, two distinguished musicians, join forces some 50 years after they first met and played together. Back in 1966 Ralph was just back from playing in Paris and met Wizz in a coffee bar in Croydon, when he was invited by Wizz to go to Cornwall and play guitar with him.

"It was a life-changing move for me and one of the most wonderful summers I have spent," said McTell. They became life long friends and played together many times. In the spring of 2015 Ralph called Wizz and suggested they finally do a whole album together. They found themselves once again in Cornwall to make this album, joining a circle of music and friendship started some 50 years earlier. The album is a brilliant blend made up of their old favourites, some traditional arrangements and songs by Doc Watson, Woody Guthrie, Townes Van Zandt and Bob Dylan.

■ Steve Knightley

And the Sunday night finale will feature the biggest name on the South West's folk scene, a solo gig from one half of multiple award-winners Show of Hands, Steve Knightley.

Steve is the songwriting force behind Show of Hands, widely acclaimed as the finest acoustic roots duo in England. As a solo performer he decided in 2016 to turn his attention to maritime venues around the shoreline of England and Wales.

He said: 'As a West Country songwriter I have written so many songs of seafarers and wreckers, travellers and traders, pirates and smugglers. Now I'm going to be able to sing them with the sound of the sea in the distance – I can't wait!'

As has become the tradition at Lyme Folk Weekend, the headliners will be supported by acts who first appeared on other stages at last summer's festival - singer-songwriter Saskia Griffiths-Moore, traditional virtuoso duo Mitchell & Vincent and the Longest Johns, the brilliant shanty group featured on the BBC programme The Choir with Gareth Malone.

Tickets for Lyme Folk Weekend are available online at www.lymefolk.com, or by calling or visiting Lyme Regis Tourist Information Centre (01297 442138).

■ Wizz Jones and Ralph McTell

Property View

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EXCITING AUCTION CATALOGUE FOR SEPTEMBER

SYMONDS & Sampson have just released their catalogue for the 29 September property auction and they believe it is the most varied and exciting for many months.

Auctioneer and partner Mark Lewis is delighted with the entries "After very strong results in the first six months of the year that saw the firm maintain their position as the leading auctioneers in the region we relied heavily on our reputation to get the very best lots into the September auction.

"We have a wide variety of lots including:

Renovations: Near Sherborne we will be offering The Old Post Office in Glanvilles Wooton which may be on the open market for the first time in its history. It needs renovation and is guided at £150,000.

At Yetminster a detached bungalow requiring modernisation is £250,000 and in Sherborne itself an end of terraced cottage in Hound Street is £190,000.

A 3 bedroom end of terrace cottage in Stoford overlooking open countryside is £150,000-£170,000 and a large 6 bedroom house in Milborne Port is £250,000.

One of the largest projects is near Shaftesbury where a thatched cottage is in such a poor state that we cannot conduct any internal viewings is guided at £125,000.

Improvers: Woodlands at Clifton Maybank situated in a wonderful countryside location is £335,000 whist The Old Coach House at Henstridge complete with 2 bedroom bungalow, stables and 10 acres will be offered in 2 lots.

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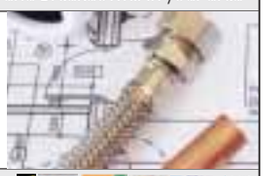

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CHERY has released design sketches of the first model of its all-new model line for global markets, ahead of its world premiere at the Frankfurt Motor Show (IAA) on 12 September 2017.

The first images of the compact SUV reveal the design direction for Chery's new nameplate. And while they will wear a Chery badge, they incorporate a new evolution of the Chinese brand's 'Life In Motion' design philosophy.

Ray Bierzynski, Executive Vice President of Chery R&D Center Shanghai, said: "The world premiere of our new compact SUV marks the start of our approach to European sales with a new model line. Launching within a few years, all models in the line-up will feature characteristic styling, user-focused technology, electrified powertrains and advanced safety features."

Distinctive design

The distinctive form of the all-new compact SUV flows from Chery's progressive 'Life in Motion' design philosophy, developed by Chief Designer, James Hope. This evolution of Chery's brand style is aimed at young, urban, forward-thinking customers who choose sophisticated, high quality products.

Many of the feature lines are inspired by nature and incorporate 'hydrodynamic surfacing' characteristics, which convey the pure, aesthetic quality of running water. The muscular and purposeful stance exudes confidence, with a sense of stability assured by the wide track and large, stylish wheels.

The progressive styling is also reflected in the car's unique brand face. It features a sharp chrome horizontal brand bar, which is complemented by further chrome trim adorning the front bumper, side skirts and window surrounds. Full LED headlamps and a neat rear light cluster design complete the car's dynamic aesthetic.

Global expansion

Chery plans to start sales of passenger cars in Europe within the next few years led by the all-new model line for global markets, which will focus on SUV and crossover models. Chery is evaluating the sales opportunity in key markets including retail and fleet channels, and is planning new design and R&D facilities in Europe that will accelerate the brand's plans for global expansion.

Chery is the most successful exporter of vehicles in China. It has sold over 1.2 million units overseas since it was founded in 1997 – more than any other Chinese carmaker – and it is also the first Chinese manufacturer to pass total sales of more than six million vehicles. It has held the status of China's leading vehicle exporter for 14 consecutive years.

In 2016, Chery (Group) sold over 700,000 units, a year-on-year rise of 28%. Of this number, approximately 100,000 vehicles were exported – representing almost 30% of all Chinese vehicle exports.

■ The new compact SUV from Chery

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The new BMW i3 and i3S

WITH over 8,000 vehicles sold in the UK since launch, the BMW i3 is the best-selling electric car in the premium compact segment. Now, the success story is set to continue with a major refresh, new technology and the addition of a new, sportier variant, the BMW i3s.

With a higher output, model-specific chassis technology, enhanced handling and design features, the i3s offers driving pleasure along with zero local emissions, premium quality and a new level of connectivity technology.

The new BMW i3 and new BMW i3s will celebrate their world premieres at the International Motor Show (IAA) in Frankfurt/Main in September 2017. The global market launch will begin in November 2017.

Two power outputs and optional range extender engine

Following systematic refinement, the BMW eDrive technology aboard the new BMW i3 and new BMW i3s offers emission-free driving with instantaneous power delivery, efficient use of energy and increased range. Both models draw their energy from the lithium-ion high-voltage battery with a capacity of 94Ah (33kWh). A range-extender engine can be ordered as an option for both models.

Emission-free fun at the wheel: Two power options

The synchronous electric motor powering the new BMW i3 generates a maximum output of 170hp and reaches a peak torque of 250Nm, all of which is available instantly from a standstill. This means that stepping on the accelerator pedal immediately unleashes a burst of speed. The power is transferred via a single-speed automatic transmission meaning the zero to 62mph benchmark sprint can be achieved in 7.3 seconds. Top speed is limited to 93mph.

Located low in the vehicle floor, the lithium-ion high-voltage battery provides a range of 180-186 miles based on the NEDC cycle, 146 to 158 miles as per WLTP and up to 125 miles in everyday use. The combined electric power consumption of the new BMW i3 on the NEDC cycle varies between 13.1 and 13.6kWh for every 62 miles.

A new sportier BMW - the i3s

The new BMW i3s is powered by a high-performance 184hp electric motor that generates peak torque of 270Nm. Its updated drive system includes modified motor control and specific taper roller bearings, which have been utilised to further optimise power delivery and the performance curve at higher rpm. At the limits of the motor speed range, the power and torque of the further developed drive system represent an improvement of up to 40 per cent for the BMW i3.

What's more, the new BMW i3s boasts sports suspension with specially developed springs, dampers and anti-roll bars. Drivers can also select SPORT mode using the Driving Experience Control switch which delivers a more direct accelerator response and tighter steering characteristics.

The new BMW i3s utilises sports suspension that includes a 10mm drop in ride height. The additional 40mm of track width compared to the BMW i3 is given added impact by the black wheel arch borders. The new BMW i3s comes as standard with exclusive 20-inch light-alloy wheels in double-spoke design that are 20mm wider than the previously available versions. They come as standard in Bicolour and are optionally available in Jet Black.

The BMW i3s is capable of get from zero to 62mph in 6.9 seconds on its way to a top speed of 99mph. It returns a combined electric power consumption of 14.3kWh per 62 miles on the NEDC cycle. Its electric range runs to 174 miles based on the NEDC cycle, 146 to 152 miles as per WLTP and up to 125 miles in everyday use.

A 38hp two-cylinder range extender petrol engine is available as an option for both the new BMW i3 and the new BMW i3s. The engine drives a generator that produces power as required while driving to maintain a constant level of charge in the high-voltage battery. This extends the car's overall range in everyday use by 93 miles, increasing it from around 112 miles to a maximum of 205 miles. The all-electric range of the new BMW i3 with range extender is 140 – 146 miles as per NEDC and 118 – 124 miles as per WLTP. The corresponding figures for the new BMW i3s with range extender come in at 137 miles on the NEDC and 115 to 121 miles on the WLTP cycle.

On the NEDC cycle, the new BMW i3 with range extender returns combined consumption figures per 62 miles of 11.9kWh to 11.5kWh of electric power and 0.6 litres of fuel (CO_2 emissions: 14 –13 g/km). On the same combined NEDC cycle, the new BMW i3s with range extender consumes 12.5kWh of electric power per 62 miles and 0.7 litres of fuel (fuel consumption of 403.5mpg imp; CO_2 emissions: 14 g/km).

■ The new BMW i3

■ The new BMW i3s

A sound investment – 3D audio comes to the new Audi A8

LISTENING to music becomes a sensory experience in the new Audi A8. The Bang & Olufsen Advanced Sound System now also brings the unique acoustic character of pure 3D sound to the rear seats. The brand with the four rings thus offers first-rate sound quality in the top segment.

Luxury is audible. The new generation of the Audi A8 demonstrates this in impressive style – with the Bang & Olufsen 3D Advanced Sound System. It supplies 23 loudspeakers featuring ultra-light and therefore low-distortion neodymium magnets that produce an airy, high-resolution sound pattern. The effect is impressive, especially when reproducing a classical concert of high recording quality: The interior is transformed into a broad stage where the music unfolds exactly how it was recorded in the concert hall – without any artificial effects. The sound is authentic and emotional. That is the top priority of Audi's audio specialists, making sound quality a fitting reflection of the brand philosophy.

The sound system in detail

The brand with the four rings first introduced 3D sound in the Audi Q7 in 2015. In the new A8 it now extends the evolutionary version to include the rear compartment of the car. Two full-range loudspeakers in the A-pillars and two in the headlining above the rear seats supply the spatial dimension of height and develop the surround sound into the perfect stereophonic experience.

The 1,920-watt amplifier by Bang & Olufsen, which operates highly efficiently thanks to ICEpower technology, generates the 3D sound with its digital signal processor. It produces little waste heat and therefore abundant audio output – as is audibly evidenced in the detailed sound pattern. Above all, it amplifies the signal of the woofers, which reproduce sound that is especially energy-laden, such as a low note from an organ.

When the infotainment system is switched on, the two tweeters extend electrically out of the instrument panel. Thanks to Acoustic Lens Technology from Bang & Olufsen, they ensure that the sound is distributed in a horizontal 180-degree fan. Individual amplifier channels supply each loudspeaker. To produce the 3D sound, the new sound system draws on an algorithm that Audi has developed in partnership with the Fraunhofer Institute in Erlangen. It uses stereo or 5.1 recordings to calculate the information for the third dimension and processes it for the four 3D loudspeakers. This occurs dynamically; in other words, the algorithm adapts individually to the recording to avoid causing any distortion to the sound.

■ 3D audio comes to the new A8

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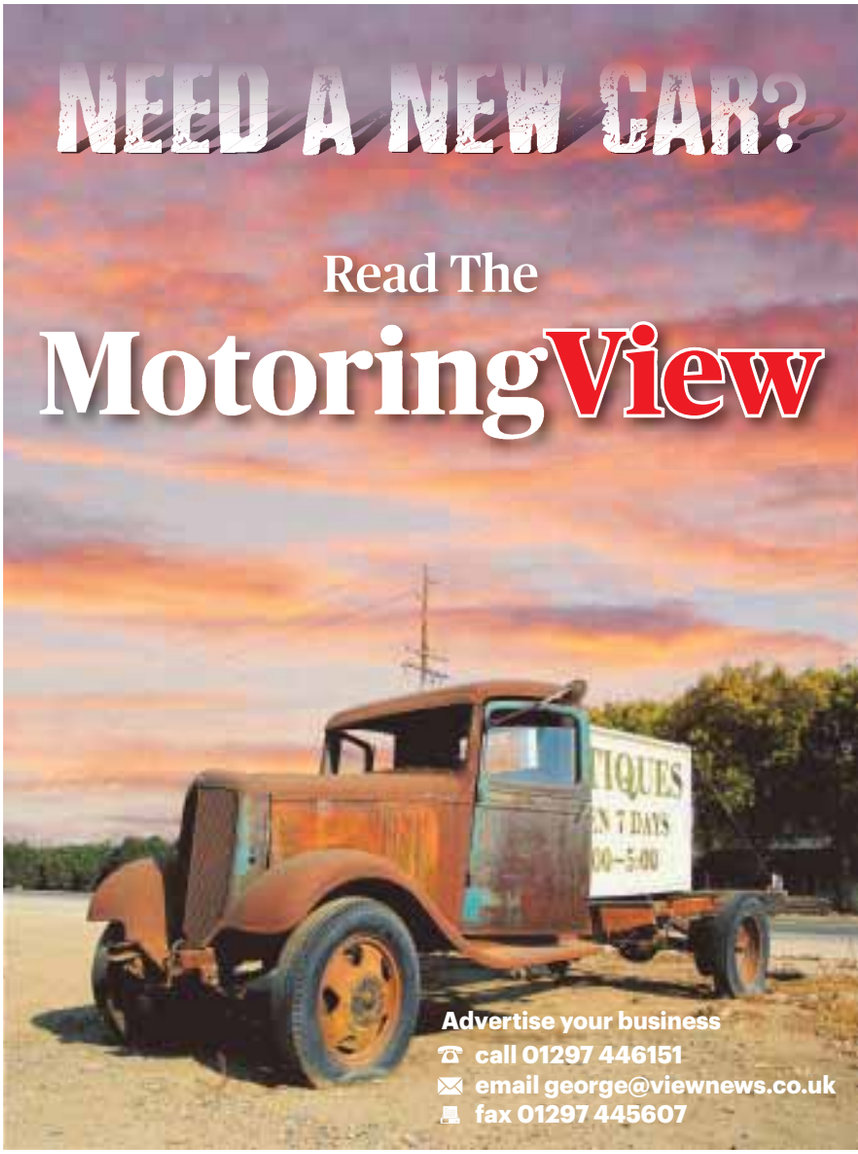

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FIXTURES

C Division (E): Alphington v Whimple, Braunton v Clyst St George, Clyst Hydon v Cullompton, Kilmington v Countess Wear, and Uplyme & Lyme Regis v Feniton.

Division C (E)	Pld	Pts
Cullompton	17	271
Alphington	17	241
Feniton	17	232
Whimple	16	221
Clyst Hydon	17	205
Braunton	17	189
Kilmington	16	182
Clyst St George	17	178
UPLYME & LR	**17**	**169**
Countess Wear	17	140

WEST BAY SEA ANGLING

WEST Bay Sea Angling Club's annual Specimen & Species Festival took place between August 12th and 20th.

The nine day event is only open to club members and they are able to fish anywhere along the English coastline.

This year 11 senior and three junior members took part at fishing venues such as Portland, Chesil Beach and Plymouth's Mountbatten Pier.

This year the golden fish was gilthead bream; there were two caught, one of 26cm with Norman just pipping it by 1cm with one of 27cm.

The results for the competition were as follows:

Species: THE JOHN AND FRANCES HUNT TROPHY
1st, Ollie Mears, 29 species
2nd, Craig Horton, 28 species
3rd, Eden Lynham, 9 species

Specimen: THE DAVID CORNICK TROPHY
1st, Ian Draper with a thick lipped mullet of 95%
2nd, Norman Stokes with a dogfish of 87%
3rd, June Stokes with a golden grey mullet of 73%

Most fish points went to Ollie Mears with 93pts.

Junior winner was Eden Lynham with 9 species.

Pairs winners were Ollie Mears and Craig Horton with 104pts.

Golden Fish Winner: Norman Stokes 27cm

It was nice to see how many people put the effort in over the nine days.

RICHARD 'TINY' DAW

Can the Glovers make an impact?

YEOVIL TOWN 2
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WHEN Jodi Jones sped past Bevis Mugabi's late and clumsy tackle just 21 seconds after kick-off before firing in a fierce angled shot that had Artur Krysiac diving low to his left to turn for a corner, I was fearing the worst.

Having shipped 14 goals in three league games to date, it looked like another few were about to be added.

However with new addition 21-year-old Sid Nelson, on loan from Millwall, proving a steadying influence in the heart of the defence, things began to change.

Things were rocky for 20 minutes with the Blues; promotion favourites to return to League One immediately and still smarting from last week's home defeat to Newport County; looking to get back on track.

However with Krysiac after a couple of below par games, back to his best and instilling calm in his defenders, the Glovers defence had good control of the situation, whilst in attack the front three were giving the Blues defence a torrid time with their speed and ball trickery.

The Glovers were perhaps fortunate not to concede a penalty after 17 minutes when Tony Andreu went down under the challenge of Nelson, but ref Martin Coy, who had a good view of the incident waved play on.

Slowly Yeovil got back in the match and took the lead on 29 minutes when Otis Khan's lob over the Blues defence found keeper Liam O'Brien rushing out to clear.

However, with defender Chris Stokes also looking to deal with the situation, the two collided with each other and Rhys Brown took advantage to chest it past the keeper before sliding it in an empty net.

The goal gave Yeovil confidence and slowly they began moving the ball around well, and went into the break a goal to the good.

Andreu nearly equalised with a 25-yard curling shot that struck the outside of Krysiac's right hand upright, before the Polish stopper thwarted him with a superb diving save low to his right.

Nelson and Nathan Smith were in total control at the back for Yeovil, something Glovers fans have not been able to say about the defence in recent seasons, and with Francois Zoko, Otis Khan and Olefela Olomola playing superbly up front causing the Blues numerous problems, it seemed only a second goal would result, and that it did on 75 minutes.

Southampton loanee Olomola picked the ball up in the right channel and burst forward, holding off the challenge of Liam Kelly, before firing a fierce shot across O'Brien from the angle of the penalty area and just inside the far post.

It certainly was a treat to watch a Yeovil side that looked confident and more balanced, but I have my doubts about new midfielders James Bailey and Connor Smith, who for the second time I have seen them, were ineffective and barely contributed.

I am bemused why Darren Way has chosen Bailey as captain, as he failed to show the kind of leadership qualities required to lift a side, and perhaps it should be given to Nelson whose calm but demonstrative actions made him look a winner and leader.

One swallow doesn't make a summer, and we have so often in the past had our hopes raised by an encouraging performance only to see us revert to normal, so we wait to see if the Glovers can maintain their form at Crawley Town next week who got off the mark with a good victory at Swindon Town.

Mr Fry shouldn't start using the increased attendance as a way of avoiding putting his hand in his pocket.

The Sky Blues brought over a thousand fans to Huish Park. Take them away and it's not much better than the club's lowest crowd ever for a league match against Accrington last time round.

Ref watch: For once dare I say the referee, Martin Coy, had a good game. I know a few in the crowd might not agree, but as a fierce critic of referees, I thought he did a good job; although I think he missed the penalty decision when Nelson fouled Andreu.

Bad week on the greens for Bridport

BRIDPORT BOWLING CLUB

IT WAS a bad week for Bridport, losing all the matches including a friendly!

There was double defeat for the Bridport teams in South Dorset Division One.

Bridport went down 47-53 to Greenhill A. Ben Jones, Mike Smith, Bob Taylor, Brian Rumble 25-10; Craig Bosher, Tom Tocher, Keith Brooks, Chris Thorne 11-21; Dave Roberts, Bill Payne, Barry Shortland, Brian Conisbee 11-22. Two points earned.

Meanwhile Bridport A relinquished top spot to their victors Wellworthy A, losing 47-89 to win just two points.

Peter Carnell, Steve Bartlett, Fred Pomeroy, David Smith were only a point adrift 14-15 after 14 ends but then only scored once, losing 15-29; Chris Hall, Mike Craddock, Peter Wilson, Mike Soloman 10-37; Bob Willcox, Mel Griffiths, Peter Scott, Ken Sanger 22-23, having pulled back from being 15-23 down on the 15th end.

Bridport B fared no better in Division Two when they lost 47-57 to leaders Greenhill B to earn two points.

Dan Hoskins, Roger H Smith, John Ireland, Clive Langdon 18-17; Mike Stephenson, Norman Ludders, Geoff Strange, Roger Herbert 11-21; Brian Stone, Peter Billett, Brian Medland, Dave Robbins 18-19.

In Dorset Ladies Division Two, Bridport B remain bottom with just one win this season after they lost to Broadstone B 42-73.

Sue Jenkins, Janet Bird, Pauline Newitt, Chris Cowdrey 14-34; Margaret Strange, Di S Butcher, Marion Tocher, Delphine Street 15-17, Liz Kennedy, Chris Robbins, Janet Tattershall, Jill Willcox 13-22.

In the friendly against Merriott they went down 66-73 overall, but all rinks were close. Top rink: Liz Kennedy, Geoff Strange, Thelma Pratt, Steve Bartlett.

BRIDPORT & WEST DORSET INDOOR BOWLS CLUB

PIRATES have opened up a six point lead in the Evening League and are now almost out of sight after Jackie White, Keven Moyes and Phil Hedges' beat second placed Potters 12-8.

One point separates the next five teams for the runner-up spot.

Totties and Potters have 21 points and Jackpots, Gazelles and Butlins all have have 20, Sylvia Fletcher, Brian Baker and Darren Simpson's Butlins beating Jackpots 11-10.

The bottom half of the table saw Maureen Hicks, Liz Walker and Ivor Parker's Chancers beat Wyverns 15-12, Martin Wilton, Keith Peraux and Paul Hallett's Was-up get the better of Lillywhites 13-10, and Geoff Hansen, Reg Dodd and Jenny Harding's squeeze past Renegades 13-12.

Peter Hunt and Rose and Chris Everest's Hatters are almost at the summit in the Morning League, another runaway 24-4 win over 4 Menandalady leaving them just two wins from clinching the title with four games left.

Alan Wotherspoon, Nova Varney and Gerry Moss's Supanovas ended Old Timers hopes of honours with an 11-8 win to stay second, whilst Pat Waters, Sylvia and Mike Fletcher's Mannequins won 14-9 against Wickers to retain third spot and still give them a chance of catching Supanovas for runners-up spot.

Ruby and Bernard Winton and David Jenkin's Bandits beat Grumblers 9-6 thanks to some great jack deliveries from Ruby, and Hicks, Chas Clarke and Brian Legg's Hotspurs came from 3-8 down to beat Scuttlebutts 14-11.

LYME CRIBBAGE

THE Lyme Regis Winter Crib League returns next Monday (September 4th).

Week One fixtures are: Colyton Club v New Inn Kil A; Ship Lyme v Nag's Head Lyme; Dolphin Beer v Stepps; Lamb Swans v Talbot Arms Uplyme; Axminster Cons v Gerrard Arms Colyton; New Inn Kil B has a bye.

Golf round-up

LYME REGIS
with Richard Jackman

FOR the second week in a row Neal Cullen topped the leaderboard, this week with one better score of 41 points, as he won Division One of the August Stableford.

This included a stunning back nine score of 22 points as he scored two birdies and an eagle, a truly masterful performance.

Close on his heels was Michael Gill, with 40 points, who also had a 22 point back 9, and it was good to see David Lock returning to fitness in third place with 38.

Despite not scoring on two holes David Binns was aggressive enough on others to win Division Two with a powerful 36 points, and Steve Piper just got the better of Chris Brice on countback as both scored 35.

In the Ladies Greensomes there was seemingly only one couple in it as Jean Jolley and Cyndy Mudford expertly combined their talents, particularly on the front nine where they scored 26 points, to run out worthy winners with 44 points.

Felicity Horton and Val Waites showed their composure to take second place with 39 points while Jane Andrews and Carol Ponchaud were just a point behind in third.

The Hardy A team suffered an away defeat at Moors Valley, but are still in contention for promotion, but will have to wait until October for their final fixture.

■ MARTINSTOWN Under 11s pictured after they won the Archie Masters Trophy by beating Bridport. Bridport made 102 off their 18 overs, with Martinstown replying with 103-4 from 16 overs.

Read Howard Larcombe's Perry Street League Review in the Sunday Independent

A view from the Boundary

WITH STUART BROOM

Portland Red Triangle secure promotion

Dorset Saturday tables

Premier	Pld	Pts
Broadstone	17	256
Swanage	17	250
Poole Town	17	233
DORCHESTER	17	218
Wimborne & Colehill	17	203
Sherborne	17	201
Stalbridge	17	182
MARTINSTOWN	17	143
Shroton	17	137
Shillingstone	17	73

Division One	Pld	Pts
Bere Regis	17	283
Christchurch	17	239
Hamworthy Rec	17	223
CATTISTOCK	17	211
Cerne Valley	17	204
Parley	17	186
Broadstone II	17	172
WEYMOUTH	17	162
Poole Town II	17	158
Wimborne & Colehill II	17	128

Division Two	Pld	Pts
Compton House	17	273
PORTLAND RT	17	268
Blandford	17	228
Witchampton	17	217
Marnhull	17	206
Ferndown Wayfarers	17	181
Cranborne	17	158
Shillingstone II	17	139
Stalbridge II	17	127
Sherborne II	17	108

Division Three	Pld	Pts
CHARLTON DOWN	17	291
BEAMINSTER	17	212
DORCHESTER II	17	207
Ashmore	17	205
Kingston Lacy	17	184
Sturminster Marshall	17	167
Hamworthy Rec II	17	158
Dorset Indian Tigers	17	153
Wimborne & C III	17	119
Poole Town III	17	108

Division Four	Pld	Pts
Shaftesbury	15	238
PUDDLETOWN	15	236
Corfe Mullen	16	221
Chalke Valley	15	177
ABBOTSBURY	15	165
Sturminster & Hinton	15	160
Wareham	15	153
RC Sports	15	149
Cerne Valley II	15	111

Division Five	Pld	Pts
Swanage II	11	173
Broadstone III	12	146
Witchampton II	12	143
PORTLAND RT II	11	140
MARTINSTOWN II	12	122
Marnhull II	11	103
Blandford II	11	35

Division Six	Pld	Pts
Bere Regis II	13	230
Bradford Abbas	13	195
WEYMOUTH II	12	126
Wimborne & Col IV	14	122
Bournemouth	14	97
SYMENE	13	73
Winton	13	21
Stalbridge III	13	8

Dorset Sunday tables

Division One	Pld	Pts
Sherborne	12	211
Corfe Mullen	11	176
Dewlish	12	149
Pokesdown Willows	11	87
CHARLTON DOWN	11	83
Old Blandfordians	11	44
PORTLAND RT	12	42

Division Two	Pld	Pts
Hamworthy	13	199
Milborne Port	13	196
WEYMOUTH	13	180
Broadstone	13	180
Dorset Indians	13	162
Witchampton	13	133
Cheselbourne	14	81
Lytchett	14	74

PORTLAND Red Triangle beat fellow contenders Blandford for promotion to Division One and will become Division Two champions if they overcome league leaders Compton House next Saturday in the final game of the season.

In Division Three, Beaminster failed to secure their promotion first time round when losing at lowly Hamworthy Rec 2nds; with Dorchester 2nds beating Poole 3rds, it means that with just five points separating them, it goes to this weekend final fixture to decide who goes up with Charlton Down.

DORSET FUNERAL PLAN LEAGUE

Premier League

DORCHESTER

Shillingstone (2) 159-9 lost to Dorchester (19) 160-1 by 9 wickets

A SUPERB century from Dan Belt, who carried his bat for 117 not out, backed up by Ben Macklin (31) in an opening stand of 153, saw Dorchester to victory over bottom side Shillingstone in just 18.4 overs.

Dorchester showed the array of bowling talent they have at the club by restricting the hosts to 159-9 in their 50 overs.

Six of the seven picked up wickets with Josh Richardson (3-37) leading the way, and James Dunham and Jack Walklett both bagging a brace.

MARTINSTOWN

Martinstown (4) 110 all out lost to Sherborne (18) 111-7 by 3 wickets

MARTINSTOWN'S batting was undone by the Hancock brothers, Mark (3-34) and particularly Paul (4-13 from 9 overs) as they were bowled out for 110 with only Liam Banfield (33) and Ryan Chase (19) getting many runs.

Despite some good bowling, particularly from Teddy Andrews (3-15) backed up by Chris Read (2-42), Sherborne had too much batting to ensure they got home by three wickets.

County Division One

CATTISTOCK

Cattistock (20) 229 all out beat Wimborne & Colehill 2nd (5) 99 all out by 130 runs

CATTISTOCK had a fairly routine win over the bottom side who invited them to bat first.

Eight players got into double figures with big hitting Steve Tucker leading the way with 58 which included four sixes, backed up by Sam Baker (29) and Billy Walbridge (23).

Lewis Naylor (4-41) was best of the visiting bowlers.

Cattistock had little trouble in bowling out their opponents. Three batsmen accounted for 75 of the runs with the other eight scoring 20 between them as Ollie Lee (3-18), Martin Langford (3-30) and Brad Mullins (2-4) dismissed them for just 99 runs.

WEYMOUTH

Weymouth (8) 207-9 lost to Poole Town 2nd (19) 274-6 by 67 runs

POOLE Town 2nds' top three batsmen ensured Weymouth had a tough task at Redlands after they won the toss and elected to bat.

John Fairless (56) and captain Ian Musselwhite (91) had Weymouth running to all corners of the pitch as they put on 149 for the first wicket, before Jack Sapworth (3-53) dismissed both within six runs.

However Tom Robinson (75) continued the onslaught and with minor support the visitors posted a score of 274-6 from their45 overs with Graham Puckett (2-42) bagging a brace.

Despite the loss of Tom England (0) with four on the board, Dean Janaway (35) and Kieron Womble (32) made steady progress and although there were good contributions from Harry Mitchell (32) and Cube Whyte (30) they finished well short of their target.

The defeat leaves Weymouth just four points ahead of Poole with one game to go.

However with Poole playing already relegated Wimborne & Colehill 2nds and Weymouth facing a trip to league champions Bere Regis, it looks almost certain the Seasiders face relegation.

County Division Two

PORTLAND RED TRIANGLE

Blandford (5) 105 all out lost to Portland Red Triangle (17) 142-8 by 37 runs

ANOTHER match winning performance from Simon Proffitt, this time with the ball taking 6-19 from nine overs, saw Red Triangle promoted as they beat near rivals Blandford.

Invited to bat, Portland were soon in trouble as Alex Sullivan (3-22) and Andy Lawrence (2-19) decimated the top order with only Proffitt (21) showing any resistance and they were soon looking down the barrel at 43-6.

They were rescued however by an unbeaten 37 from Gary Randell, who with support from Cameron Midgeley (17), Simon Barrett (11) and Matthew Barrett (22) saw them muster 142-8 in their allocation.

However Blandford fared no better when they batted as Proffitt reduced them to 8-3 and later 39-5.

Casper Barnes (24) and Lee Veringa (16) held them fleetingly but Proffitt and Maththew Barrett (2-36) saw then dismissed for 105 all out.

This Saturday Triangle host Compton House, for whom the winner will be named champion.

County Division Three

BEAMINSTER

Hamworthy Rec 2nd (20) 131-4 beat Beaminster (4) 130 all out by 6 wickets

BEAMINSTER'S winning run came to a disappointing end as they were soundly beaten by six wickets at Hamworthy.

After winning the toss, with the exception of Chris Park who battled determinedly for 45, the rest of the order struggled on a slow surface with large boundaries.

A low score was looking ominous until Ben Hollely (24) counter attacked with the tail to ensure Beaminster used their allotted overs.

Despite this late recovery, the visitors were disappointed to score only 130 runs.

Although Dave Persey took an early wicket, Hamworthy made light work of reaching their target in the 25th over, as Beaminster's poor performance continued in the field as several catches were spilled and loose bowling was punished by 15 year old S Berry who made an excellent 55.

Although Beaminster secured another two points with three wicket, G Fraser (47 not out) remained to guide his team past their small target.

The defeat means Beaminster need to win their final game at Wimborne to secure promotion.

CHARLTON DOWN

Sturminster Marshall (-20) scratched lost to Charlton Down (20)

CHARLTON Down gained another 20 points in bizarre circumstances to remain unbeaten with just one game to be played, next Saturday when theyentertain Ashmore.

The Charlton Down team had met and were ready to leave for Sturminster Marshall when captain Tommy Tucker received a very apologetic telephone call from his opposite number to say that the game was off due to the roller having broken down earlier in the morning and was stuck in the middle of the wicket that was due to be used and was too heavy to tow off or push off.

Tucker said: "In all the years I have played cricket, I have never heard or seen a team gain 20 points with the help of a roller obstructing the wicket!

"They had telephoned the league to explain the unusual event and had no other choice but to concede the match as they were unable to provide a wicket to play the game.

"I did offer them the option to travel the 25 minutes to our ground and play, but this was declined as there was some reluctance from a couple of players to travel.

"After all the rain that we have had over the last month it was ironic that the this was probably one of the warmest weekends!"

DORCHESTER 2NDS

Dorchester 2nds (18) 184-3 beat Poole Town 3rd (5)183-7 by 7 wickets

THIS victory puts Dorchester back in the running for promotion following Beaminster's defeat and means the remaining spot behind Charlton Down will go to the wire.

Poole Town batted steadily on a good wicket against some good bowling from Josh Foot, Dave Trotter and Mike Peak who shared the wickets.

Whilst there was some swing to be had, the true wicket meant that the batsmen could go for their shots, and that was reflected in a superb opening partnership of 120 between Sean Fitzgerald (57) and Foot (46) in 21 overs.

Although Rhys Cole only managed a couple of lusty blows, captain Mike Peak and Joe Power steered Dorchester home with 15 overs to spare.

County Division Four

ABBOTSBURY

Shaftesbury (20) 116-3 beat Abbotsbury (3) 110 all out by 7 wickets

ABBOTSBURY were well beaten at Shaftesbury where only Chas Duerdoth (38) and a late unbeaten 25 from James Borrington made any impression with the bat.

The hosts easily reached their target in the 21st over with Aaron Oliver (2-37) the best of the Swans attack.

PUDDLETOWN

Cerne Valley 2nd (7) 183-6 lost to Puddletown (18) 262-5 by 79 runs

ELECTING to bat, Puddletown's openers Alby Stevens (69) and Lucas Allen (41) got the innings off to a solid start, with a first wicket stand of 76, and although they lost Mike Hoffman (12) with the score on 105, Adam Weir joined the opener, and they contributed 43 for the third wicket.

After the loss of the opener and Mike Crabb (1), skipper Adam Barrett (42) and Weir took the score to 234 before Barrett was stumped, but Weir saw the innings out with an undefeated 62 to close on 262-5.

The Cerne reply got off to a bad start with Weir (2-35) bowling Colin Gough (0) in the first over, but Matt Porter (38) then joined Ben Newton (70), and they took on the Puddletown attack with a fine array of shots, although they rode their luck at times, before Hoffman (2-40) finally nailed Porter with the score on 88.

Newton found support in Chris Barnes (23) and Raj Lehal (26) but they failed to match the run rate and closed on 183-6, 79 runs short.

So Puddletown, now assured of promotion, go head to head for the championship at home against Shaftesbury on Saturday, with the North Dorset side two points ahead of the hosts going in to the game.

County Division Five

PORTLAND RED TRIANGLE 2NDS

PORTLAND Red Triangle 2nd (20) beat Blandford 2nd (-40) scratched

County Division Six

WEYMOUTH 2NDS

Wimborne & Colehill 4th (5) 210-6 lost to Weymouth 2nd (18) 211-0 by 10 wickets

THIS match will be remembered for two centuries, one for each side, and a huge unbeaten stand between Paul Collins and Andy Jeffreys that saw Weymouth record a ten wicket victory.

Despite an unbeaten century from Adrian Prince (102no) the hosts lost wickets regularly after deciding to bat as they slumped to 99-6, with Tim Guyett (2-26) and Blair Hooley (2-19) the most successful bowlers.

However Prince (15x4, 3x6) found an ally in Molly Joyce who scored six boundaries in her unbeaten 42 as Wimborne set a target of 210-6.

In reply, Tony Quayle had to retire on 13no, but it made no difference as Collins hit 16x4, 4x6 in his unbeaten 119no alongside Jeffreys,8 fours and a six in his 55no, to see Weymouth home in the 29th over.

TOP batting performances: Paul Collins (Weymouth 2nd) 119no; Dan Belt (Dorchester) 117no; Alby Steves (Puddletown) 69; Adam Weir (Puddletown) 62no; Sean Fitzgerald (Dorchester 2nd) 57; Andy Jefreys (Weymouth 2nd) 55no.

TOP bowling performances: Simon Proffitt (Portland Red Triangle) 6-19.

DORCHESTER & DISTRICT EVENING CRICKET LEAGUE

COSMOS are winners of Division Three after Dorchester Casuals failed to beat Puddletown Rugby Club, ***writes Robin Potter.***

Casuals were restricted to 109-3 in their 18 overs despite George Foot's 36 not out as Rugby Club's bowlers exerted control, with A Church conceded just 15 runs from his four overs, S Roberts 16, and J Green 17.

Dave Trotter almost matched them with only 15 scored from his three overs when Puddletown RC replied, but Jim Ross (47) and C Ricketts (36 not out) saw Rugby Club home with two balls to spare, thus leaving Cosmos uncatchable at the top of Division 3.

So, in summary, winners of Division 1 and Champions: Puddletown;

Winners of Division 2 and promoted: Plush;

Winners of Division 3 and promoted: Cosmos;

Winners of the Doug Read Cup: Bere Regis.

Congratulations to these teams and indeed congratulations to all teams and individuals for their endeavours throughout the season, especially in coping with the wet August.

Awards of team and individual prizes will be made at our presentation evening.

We hope to see everybody back enjoying their cricket next season.

Division One	Pld	Pts
Puddletown 1sts	10	16
St Georges	10	15
Cattistock 1sts*	10	10
Bere Regis	10	7
Martinstown	10	6
Dewlish	10	4

Division Two	Pld	Pts
Plush	12	20
Charlton Down	12	18
Hazelbury Bryan	12	16
Cerne Valley*	12	10
Abbotsbury	12	10
Cattistock 2nds	12	8
Frampton*	12	-4

Division Three	Pld	Pts
Cosmos	12	18
Dorchester Casuals	12	15
Charlton Down 2nds	12	14
Puddletown RFC	12	14
Puddletown 2ndnds	12	10
Winfrith Newburgh	12	9
ASM	12	4

(*pts deducted)

FOOTBALL EXTRA : DORCHESTER TOWN FC

DORCHESTER Town boss Craig Laird said after Monday's 3-0 home defeat by Weymouth that he was "gutted" and "disappointed" by the poor start to the season, but says the buck stopped with him and people should give him ten games to prove his worth.

He admitted their performance against the Terras was not good enough from the players or him as manager and that things needed to be sorted quickly.

"Given the opportunity we will have to make a few drastic changes. I need to show that I am good enough for the job.

"Like any manager we want to be measured after ten games. We've started building a side and have a nucleus of six or seven good players, and we need to add to that then see where we are. My record shows that we get value for money, but it takes time."

He once again reiterated that he had been trying to bring new strikers to the club, and that finally it appears that one is imminent: "It isn't for want of trying, but the budget is the main reason we haven't been successful.

"We had hoped to have had one available for today's match. It's pretty imminent and hope we will have an experienced striker by next week."

When pushed as to whom, Laird confirmed that it was Richard Gillespie, a proven goalscorer from Poole Town who is returning after injury. He also hoped to sign a young striker from Bristol Rovers to add additional firepower.

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DORSET FOOTBALL NEWS WITH STUART BROOM

Midweek blues for Bees

Bridport 2 Wellington Town 3

FOR the second successive week, Bridport failed in front of their fans to capture the sparkle of the previous Saturday's performance as newly promoted Wellington Town earned their first Premier League points with this victory at St Mary's Field.

After a strong start to the season with victories over AFC St Austell in the FA Cup and Cadbury Heath in the league they were well beaten by Willand Rovers on the Wednesday, and then after a superb victory over Street, again in the FA Cup, they were again well below par.

To be fair, the Bees were missing a whole back four with skipper Ryan Hayter, Alan Hill and Louis Rutter injured, and Leigh Bailey unavailable, and all three goals came from defensive mistakes.

However they were not entirely to blame, because after a positive start in which new signing Ben Wood – on dual registration from Barnstaple Town – showed that he is a class above, the midfield stuttered and failed to get to grips with their Tangerine counterparts, playing in their change colour of white.

As a result the game almost became a formality once they equalised on the hour, with Wood, Mark Salter and Ed Butcher becoming more isolated as Bridport turned to using more long ball than their normal game.

The visitors took the lead on five minutes when a surging run from Andy Martin down the left from midway inside his own half saw him skip past three players. But he overran the ball a touch and Wellington keeper Connor Sidley-Adams rushing from goal hoofed it upfield .

Cameron Vere misjudged his attempted headed clearance and Jack Taylor ran on to the ball to lob it over the advancing Jason Hutchings.

Wood's speed and interplay with Salter and Butcher looked like it might reap dividends, but it was his well known long throw that led to the equaliser on 11 minutes, Tom Richardson rising highest to nod the ball over the keeper into the far corner.

Play was end to end and the visitors almost regained the lead midway through the half after Butcher was denied by some desperate defending; Hutchings and the post denying Taylor as he followed in Connor Bryant's shot.

Richardson had a great chance just after the half hour but headed just over the angle of the goalframe, but Wellington responded with both Taylor and Glen Wright going close.

With halftime approaching Richardson had a golden opportunity to send the Bees in ahead but completely misjudged Martin's inswinging free kick, not getting a touch on the ball.

Only Hutching's initial save from Taylor and Vere's block from Connor Bryant's follow up stopped Wellington going ahead inside a minute of the start of the second half, but then a minute later Butcher raced away from the visiting defence only to drag his shot wide of the far post.

Bridport went ahead on 51 minutes when Leighton Thomas headed Braeden Syme's corner home from close range through a melee of players, but the Tangerines got the goal they deserved for their efforts on the hour, when Connor Bryant turned Andy Butler inside out as he cut in from the left to drive an angled shot past Hutchings.

The game became slightly ragged as both sides passing became sloppy, but Salter raised the Bees fans hopes when he neatly found room after beating Joe Chamberlain, but his point blank shot was beaten away by the keeper.

However a mistake at the other end two minutes gave Wellington the points. Butler's desperate clearance was charged down, and when Symes missed his tackle on Ian Bellinger, he fired home from an a cute angle.

Bridport might have salvaged a worthy draw, but sub Richard Hebditch could only fine Sidley-Adams midriff with his stooping header after a fine Wood run and cross.

Manager Adam Fricker said: "I think we were suffering a hangover from Saturday; it was really disappointing. We can't rest on our laurels, and although we told the players that over confidence could cost us, particularly as they might expect us to be at Wellington who were promoted last season, it appears that was the case.

"They are an organised outfit, and to be honest we should be beating teams like them."

Ressies get off the mark

Sherborne Town Reserves 1
Bridport Reserves 3

BOTH sides were looking for their first points of the season at The Terrace on Saturday, and despite going behind, Bridport struck back after the interval to win comfortably.

With three tough matches to start the season against sides which currently occupy top five places, manager Shaun Annetts was hoping the tide would turn, but it looked like some of the errors that dogged the side last season were still prevalent when they fell behind against the run of play on 25 minutes after squandering a few good opportunities.

Keeper Liam Norris raced from goal to clear a through ball but only succeeded in blasting it against defender Ryan Gall, and when the ball ricocheted it ran free to Ryan Thurgood who fired it into an unguarded net.

The Bees were taken aback by this and for the next ten minutes failed to get to grips with the situation, but saw the half out a goal behind.

Bridport picked it up in the second half and after missing a couple of half chances equalised when Alfie Ward's slide rule pass between two defenders found Cody Bowditch overlapping and he ran on to fire a left foot shot to the left of the keeper.

Ten minutes later they breached the home defence again when following some good inter passing between Brandon Scadding and Riley Weedon, the ball was fed into Josh Hull who beat the keeper with a 20-yard right foot shot.

They continued to impress and scored a third from Weedon's crisp low shot after Jake Mansley's free kick had been blocked.

Annetts was delighted with his team's performance particularly after going behind.

"I had asked the players to eliminate the silly goals we conceded last year, and they were a bit shocked after conceding the goal, but they got their act together and we were worthy winners."

The win follows a 5-2 midweek defeat at Dorchester Sports where Annetts said the result was not a fair reflection of the game.

"They are a good side, and although we didn't deserve to get anything out of the game, the score flattered them."

Early errors saw Jamie Symes score twice in the first 20 minutes for the hosts, but Hull pulled them back into the game before halftime.

Symes completed his hat trick on the hour but Hull once again reduced the deficit to a single goal, and it was only late on that two more defensive errors led to goals from Sam Pahen and James Samways.

Reflecting on his sides start he said: "Despite the early defeats, I have been pleased with his team's progress. Considering we have had a number of new players that have had to bed in, there have been a number of positive signs."

■ SHOWED HIS CLASS: Ben Wood who made his debut for Bridport against Wellington after signing dual registration forms

Both Magpies and Terras struggle going into derby

WITH Monday's derby looming, both Dorchester Town and Weymouth were looking for morale boosting performances last Saturday, but neither produced convincing displays, particularly the Magpies who were well beaten at Redditch, whilst Weymouth needed a last minute goal to salvage a draw at home to Stratford Town.

Redditch United 4
Dorchester Town 0

DORCHESTER Town manager Craig Laird will have to content himself with the fact that his side created enough chances to have led this game before the Reds took advantage of some sloppy defending and eventually cruise to an easy victory.

The Magpies had dominated the first half hour and might have led had they taken their chances. With Kyle Egan and Dom Panesar-Dower in good form down the flanks the home defence were put under a lot of pressure.

Tom Blair saw a shot from Neil Martin's cross deflected wide and later shot wide from a delicious Egan cross, whilst Tom Bearwish jus failed to get on the end of another Martin Cross.

The game turned on 36 minutes when some poor defending allowed Dior Angus to give the Reds the lead. Four minutes later they added a second when Vinny Mukendi tapped home when Dorchester failed to clear their lines from a corner.

Within a minute of the restart the game was over as substitute Spencer Weir-Daley when he picked his spot when the Magpies defence failed to close him down.

Bearwish had a chance to reduce the arrears but shot over the bar, before Weir-Daley completed the rout 20 minutes from the end.

Injuries to Bearwish (ankle) and Sam Lanaham (thigh) added to Laird's woes with Monday in mind.

Weymouth 1 Stratford Town 1

WEYMOUTH keeper Mark Travers who made the headlines for scoring the winner at Bishop's Stortford last week, scored again this week, but in his own goal.

It appeared that the unfortunate incident would hand the visitors the points until Jordan Rose popped up with a last minute equaliser to claim a draw.

An opening day home defeat had put pressure on the Terras after they had picked up maximum points from their two interim away games, and things appeared to be heading the same way when the visitors went ahead.

Charlie Evans had already gone close with a header at the far post from Lee Thomas' cross just before the half hour, but two minutes later he went even closer when his drilled shot from 20 yards beat the diving Travers and struck the base of the post before rebounding and striking the keepers arm and rolling in the net.

Brandon Goodship should have equalised just before the break, but his weak effort from Calvin Brooks centre sailed over the crossbar.

Stratford missed an equally easy opportunity to double their lead just after the interval when Evans slipped as he went convert from inside the six yard box, and lifted his effort over the bar.

The Terras started to pick their game up in the last quarter and Brooks missed a good opportunity before Charlie Davis' free kick beat keeper Louis Connor but hit the underside of the crossbar before being cleared.

Then in the third minute of added time, Weymouth grabbed the equaliser when Rose got on the end of a Davis cross to tuck past the keeper.

Blues ship four in first defeat

AFC Portchester 4 Portland United 2

PORTLAND United suffered their first Wessex League Premier Division defeat of the season when they went down at Portchester. Having led 2-1 with an hour gone, Simon Browne's charges shipped three goals in the last half hour.

The Blues boss said: "It's disappointing to lose any game, but the fact was that we were not good enough in both penalty boxes.

"We missed one or two chances in the first half and a couple in the second. We also didn't defend very well and made three individual errors that won them the game."

Asked if he was concerned that the Blues had leaked late goals that had lost them points in the previous three games, he said: "The fact is that if the ref had not played seven extra minutes in one game and we had seen the other two out as we might have expected, we would have had a one hundred per cent record.

"However the fact is that we lost some players in the summer and we are trying to readjust, and it takes time; but we aren't a million miles away.

"I'm still learning about the players, and we are still looking to strengthen or improve the side. I'm told we didn't start well last season and it wasn't until October that the side finally got going so whilst I want to sort things as soon as possible and you have to work at it. Rome wasn't built in a day."

At Portchester, Portland took a first half lead through Shaun Bessant, who scored from close range following a corner but Joe Noakes equalised almost from the restart.

Sub Ryan McKechnie restored the Blues advantage, but goals from Nathan Kirby, George Wells and another from Noakes following errors gave Portchester the points.

Max Buckler has returned from Dorchester Town to play regular football, although still dual registered, to play alongside brother Sam.

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■ LEIGHTON Thomas head home for Bridport against Keynsham *Photo by* ***ADRIAN SCADDING***

Bees breeze past Keynsham

Bridport 5 Keynsham Town 2

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DESPITE the shock of going two goals down in the opening eight minutes, Bridport recovered to cruise through to the next round of the Les Phillips Cup where they will entertain Willand Rovers.

Division One side Keynsham took the lead after just five minutes when Bees' keeper Jason Hutchings was left unsighted by Stefan Lee's shot that went through Andy Martin's legs.

They added another three minutes later when Nathan Curnock's cross from the left was thumped home at the far post by the unmarked Tauren Williams.

Stunned by the Bristol team's route one methods, Bridport soon hit back when Leighton Thomas rose highest to meet Martin's corner to head home on ten minutes before Cameron Vere equalised with another header at the far post from another Martin corner in the 13th minute.

With Bridport's midfield now having cut out the source of Keynsham's long ball game, they settled down to go on and dominate the rest of the half and might have taken a halftime lead, when Thomas' shot struck the crossbar and Richard Hebditch's follow up was blocked.

The second half saw Bridport impose their superiority as Leigh Bailey scored a 14 minute hat trick to close the game out.

His first on 48 minutes saw him drill a low left foot shot just inside keeper Will Justin's right hand post, leaving him rooted to the spot.

Three minutes later following a bombardment of crosses into the visiting area, the midfielder converted from close in to open a two goal lead.

Punch drunk the Keynsham defence managed to prevent Thomas, Hebditch and Ben Wood from adding to their misery before Bailey completed his hat trick just after the hour when underfire keeper Justin allowed his 35 yard effort to squirm under his body.

Well beaten and dejected, the Ks were reduced to ten men when Curnock was forced off with an injury having already made their three substitutions, before that became nine in added time when Jason Adams was shown a red card for a 'last man' foul.

Bees' manager Adam Fricker felt his side were never in any real danger despite going two down early: "No disrespect to Keynsham but I was no overly worried although they were two sloppy goals to concede.

"They were relying on long balls up to their very tall striker to headon, and once we had cut out the source of that, they had nothing else really to worry us, and we were always in control.

"It's nice to progress in the cups, and we look forward to trying to reverse our recent result against Willand in the next round."

This Saturday the Bees entertain Evo-Stik South Division One side Barnstaple Town in the FA Cup First Qualifying Round at St Mary's (ko 3pm).

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